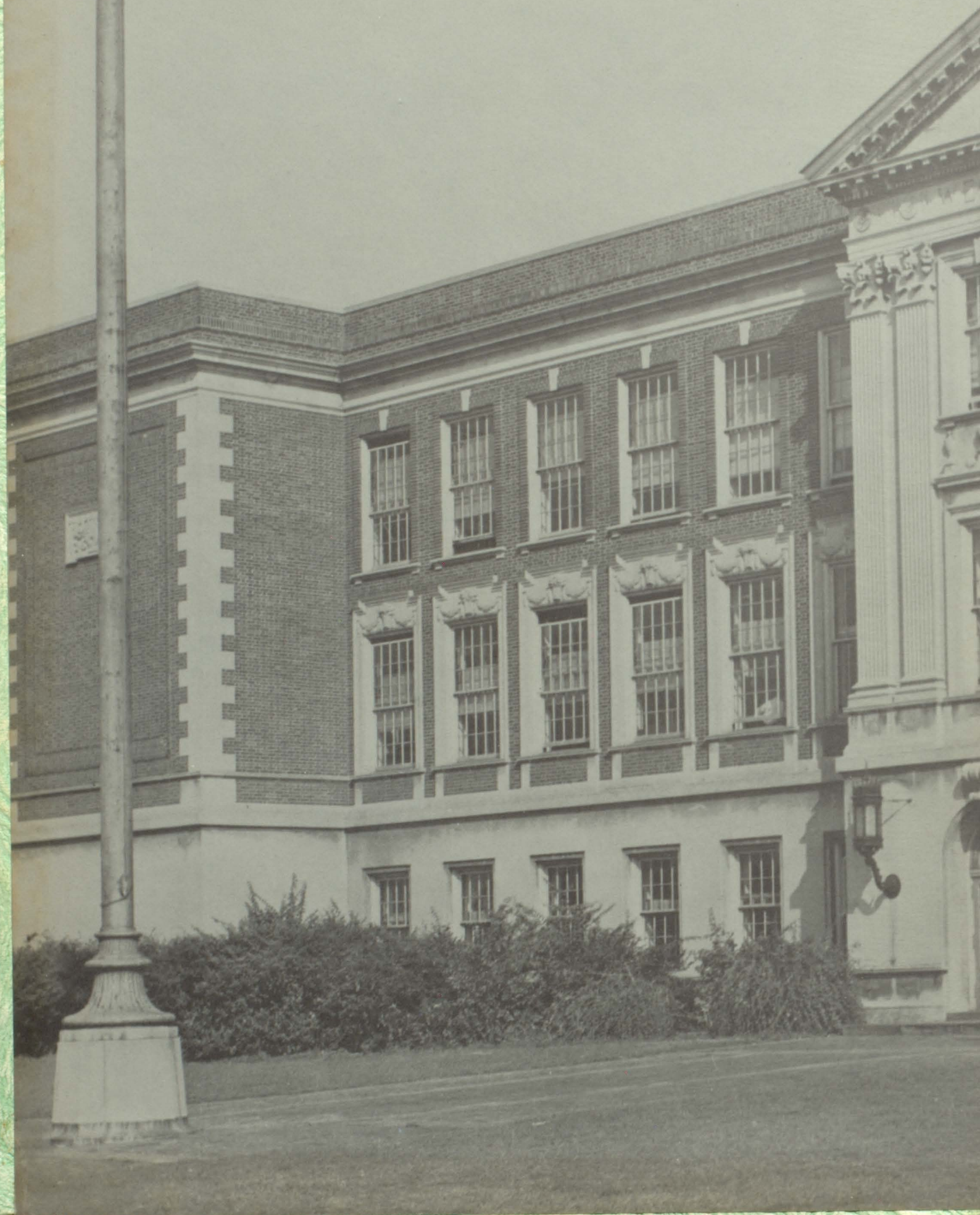
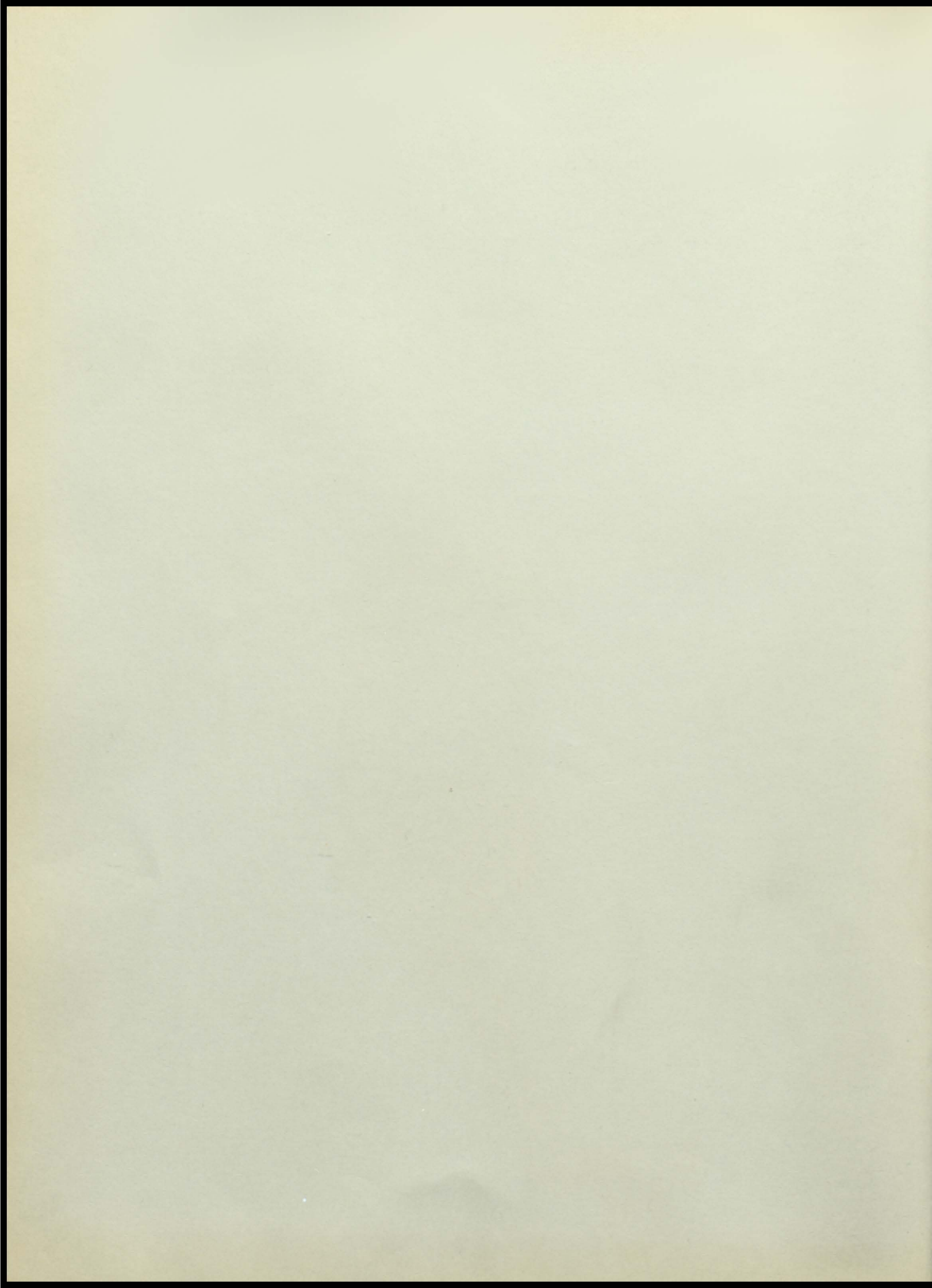




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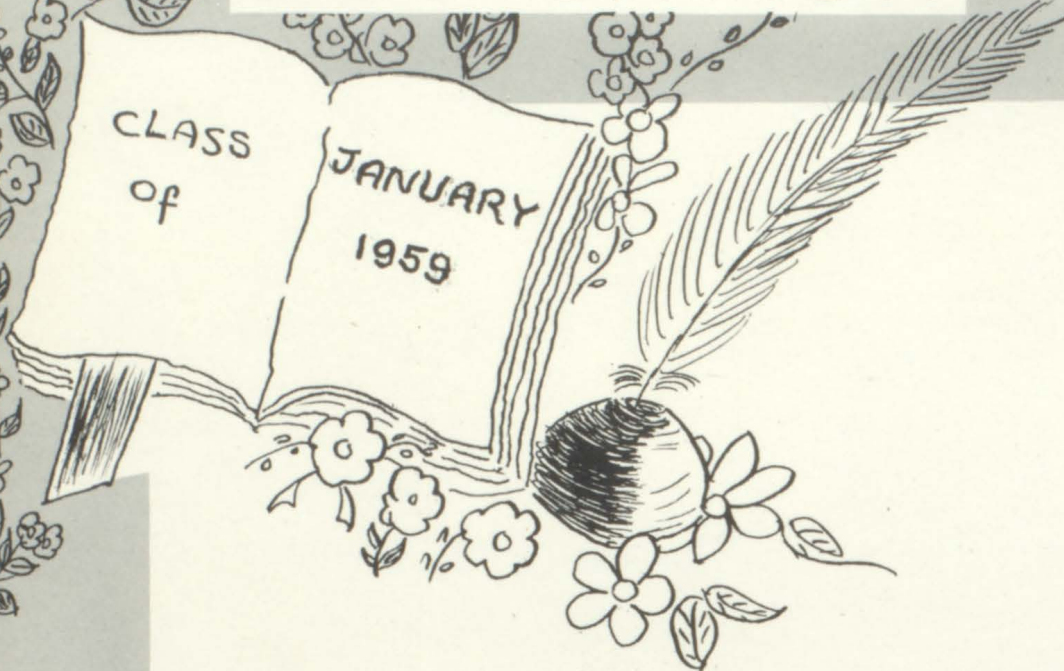
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HIGH SCHOOL
Newark, New Jersey

DEDICATION



We, the Class of January 1959, wish to dedicate this yearbook, which symbolizes our achievements of the past three years and our expectations for the future, to our parents and to our principal, Mr. Francis B. Snively.

Although this is a small gesture, we hope it will, in some way, help to show our appreciation of the help and inspiration we have received while achieving our goals.

We are going into the world to be treated as adults, but to you we will always be children. We will still need your guidance and reassurance, and you will be there to give it to us. Maybe we won't heed your advice or think you understand; but, always remember that we can never surpass you in wisdom or understanding.

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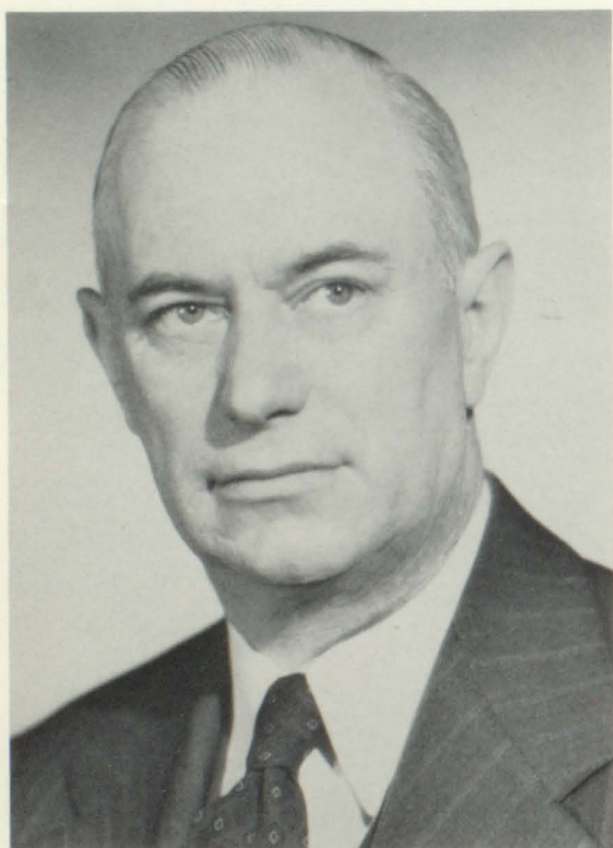
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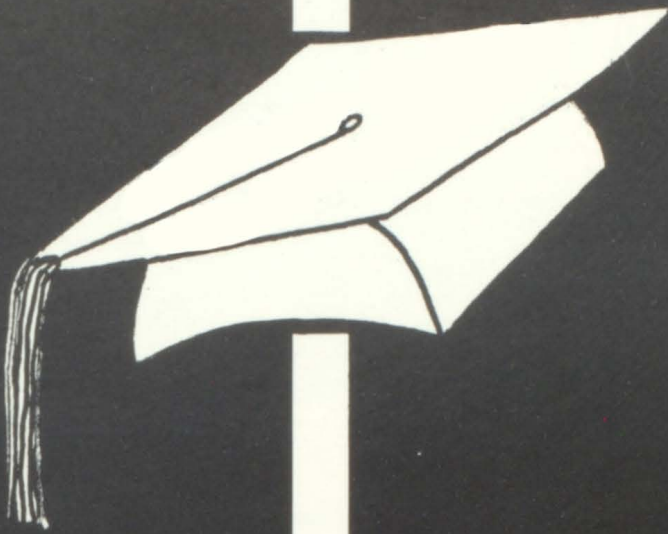
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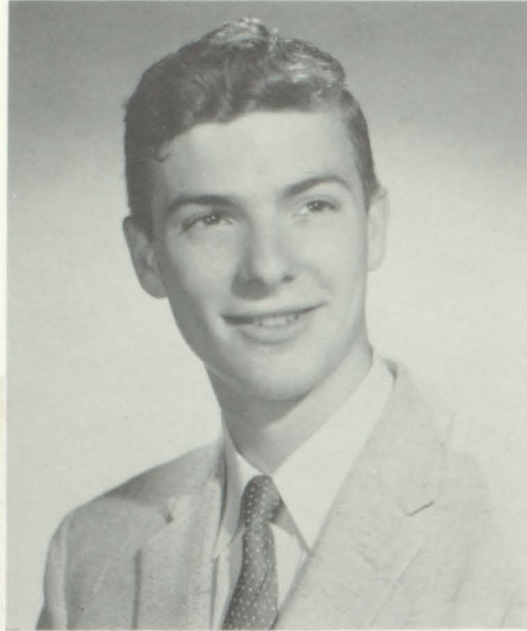


Kenneth G. Arndt

"Ken"

"A down to earth guy, with his head in the clouds."

G.W.A.; Spanish Club.



Barbara Carmella Babbitts

"Babs"

"Her charm and the brightness of her smile, will linger with us for a long, long while."

Senior Yearbook Committee; Senior Reception Decorating Committee; Invitation Committee; Senior Playbook Committee; Senior Usherette; Girls Basketball Club; Girls Tennis Club; Service Club; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.



Theresa Ann Anicito

"Terry"

"Her friendly ways, her frequent smile, Make her friendship well worthwhile."

G.W.A.; Tennis Club; Theater Party; Senior Treasurer; Pep Club.



Carol Ann Becker

"Sparkling eyes, twinkling feet, A dancer like Carol is hard to beat."

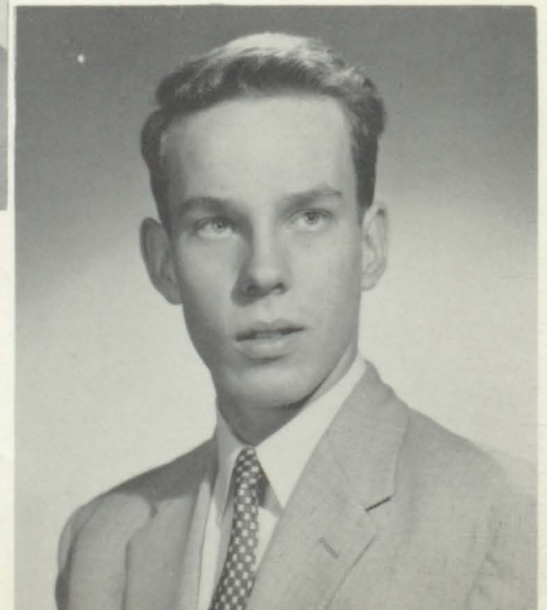
G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Cheerleaders; Dance Club; Pep Club; Service Club; Attendance Office; Variety Show; Prom Committee; Typing Committee.

Joachim Frederick Behnke

"Joe"

"Be Silent—Silence never betrays you."

G.W.A.





William J. Bellingham, Jr.

"Tiger"

*"Quiet in manner, and always kind.
A friend like William is hard to find."*

Baseball; G.W.A.

Ronald F. Berres

"Ronnie"

*"He is not only one of the boys,
But one of the best."*

Football; Track; G.W.A.; Dance Club.



Judith Ann Betterbed

"Judy"

*"Rather informal, always neat
Plenty of poise, and oh how sweet."*

French Club; Service Club; G.W.A.; Secretary, Theater Party; French Music Club.

Inta Biernis

*"It's nice to be natural, when you're
naturally nice."*

French Club; Theatre Party; French Music Club; G.W.A.; Service Club; Swimming Club.



John Michael Blasenbauer

"Blasi"

*"Johnny's the guy who's known all around
school,
He may look sweet and innocent but he's
no fool."*

Band; Orchestra; Dance Band.

Ann Marie Bozym

"Annie"

*"Since her ways are sweet, she's apt but
fortune to meet."*

Glee Club; G.W.A.



Mary Ann Josephine Bravoco

"Ronnie"

*"She is popular, full of fun,
Always laughing, and pretty as they come."*

G.W.A.; Service Club; Cheerleader; Bowling
Club; Basketball Club; Dance Club; Tennis
Club; Pep Club.



Mary Maire Bove

"May Bush"

*"Joyous, unthinking, wild and young,
She relished a joke and rejoiced in fun."*

G.W.A.; Service Club; Variety Show; Senior
Senator.



Frances S. Camarato

"Cookie"

"A girl with one aim in her life—fun!"

G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.

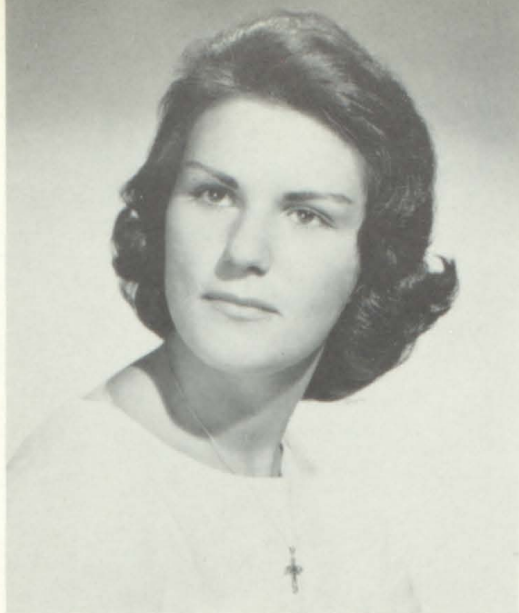
Henry R. Coakley

"Coakley"

"Never at a loss for words."

G.W.A.; Spanish Club; Visual Aids; Senior
Decorating Committee.





Joan Erma Cunha

"Vijo"

*"It's amazing what a girl can do,
And many still think her an angel."*

Secretary, Student Executive Council; Spanish National Honor Society; President, Vice President, Spanish Club; Senior Senator; Yearbook Committee; Senior Reception Decorating Committee; Senior Usherette; Secretary, Theater Party; G.W.A.; Dance Club; Creative Writing Club; Pep Club; Variety Show; Senior Play Committee; Service Club.



Martha Kathryn D'Alessandro

"Marty"

*"She is small, she is wise,
She is a terror for her size."*

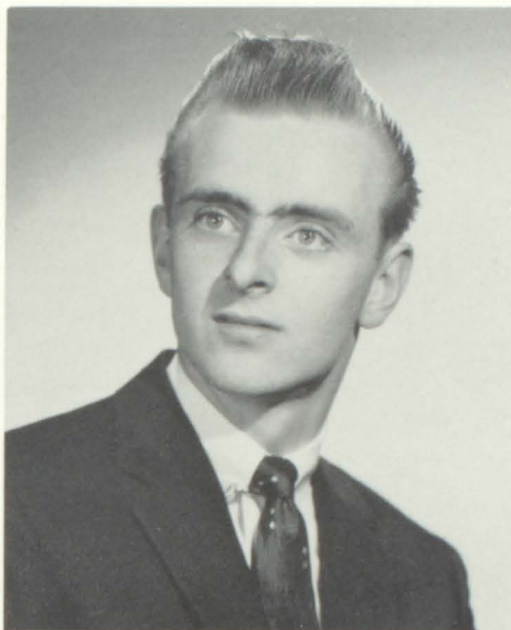
Vice President, National Honor Society; Secretary, French Club; Vice President, Theater Party Club; Senior Reception Committee; Manager, Cheerleaders; Senior Usherette; Pep Club; Future Teachers of America; Service Club; Art Club; Swimming Club; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Creative Writing Club.

Thomas James Curran

"Tom-m-m"

*"If work interferes with pleasure,
why work?"*

G.W.A.; J. V. Swimming; Prom Committee; Dance Club.



Joann DeFalco

"Jo"

*"She has a laugh that's full of fun,
And a disposition bright as the sun."*

G.W.A.; Dance Club; Attendance Staff.



Lessie Lee Curry

"Fran"

*"Not a worry, not a care,
She's happy everywhere."*

G.W.A.; Library Club.

Annette DeRiggi

"Toni"

*"A little shy, a little quiet,
But at times she's really a riot."*

National Honor Society; Business Honor Society; Secretary, Italian Club; Swimming Club; Service Club; G.W.A.; Senior Decorating Committee; Senior Invitation Committee; Dance Club; Senior Usherette.



Louis Ronald Detore

"Bobby"

*"For Louis life is just a song,
Talking, fooling all day long."*

G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Senior Reception Committee; Latin Club.



Salvatore Del Preore

"Sal"

*"A jug, a book, and a dame,
And a nice shady nook for the same."*

G.W.A.; Varsity Football; Varsity Track; Italian Club.



Maria Bernadette DeVizio

"Wee-Gee"

*"Her happy smile and gaiety bright,
Have added much to her friends' delight."*

G.W.A.; Service Club; Swimming Club; Bowling Club; Basketball Club; Dance Club.

Shirley Elizabeth DeVizio

"Shirl"

*"To worry little, study less,
Is my idea of happiness."*

G.W.A.; Attendance Staff; Service Club; Dance Club; Decorating Committee.





Merilyn Joy DiFilippo

"Flip"

*"Bright and pleasant, sweet and nice,
Lots of pep, and lots of spice."*

National Honor Society; Co-Captain, Cheerleaders; President, French Club; President, Future Teachers of America; Senior Reception Committee; Theater Party; Swimming Club; Basketball Club; Creative Writing Club; Orchestra; Pep Club; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.

Giuliana Margaret DiLuzio

"Julie"

"Shy and demure, but don't be too sure."

Art Club; Secretary, Italian Club; Secretary, Tennis Club; French Club; Playbill Committee; Service Club; G.W.A.



Marie Elena DiNicola

"Ree-Ree"

*"Full of fun and mischief too,
Doing things she shouldn't do."*

French Club; Pep Club; Treasurer, Latin Club; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Theater Party; Creative Writing; Senior Senator; Library Club.

Steve J. Dublinski

"Steeverino"

*"A sense of humor, his ready smile,
Make knowing him well worthwhile."*

Vice President, Treasurer, Art Club; G.W.A.; Decorating Committee; Senior Reception Committee.



Patricia Ann Dubrosky

"Pat"

*"For nature made her what she is,
And not another like her."*

G.W.A.; Service Club; Westonian Selling Staff; Senior Invitation Committee.

Shirley Jean Evans

*"So sweet and gentle,
So quiet and sentimental."*

G.W.A.; Art Club; Theater Party; Senior Reception Committee; Senior Usherette; Playbill Committee; Service Club; Latin Club.



Matilda Viola Fletcher

"Sis"

*"Sometimes serious, more often gay,
Charming and sweet in every way."*

G.W.A.; G.W.A. Representative; Spanish Club; P.T.S.A.



Joan Mary Duffe

"Jody"

*"Her pleasing manner and very long hair,
Makes her liked most anywhere."*

G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Senior Decorating Committee; Senior Play Book Committee; Basketball Club; President, Swimming Club; Tennis Club; Senior Usherette.



Leroy P. Freeland

"Lee"

*"Angel with a pair of wings,
Instead of arrows, he carries slings."*

G.W.A.; Cross Country; Track; Senior Reception Committee; Visual Aids.

Mary Ann Gallo

*"Quietness at its height,
Sweetness at a sight."*

G.W.A.



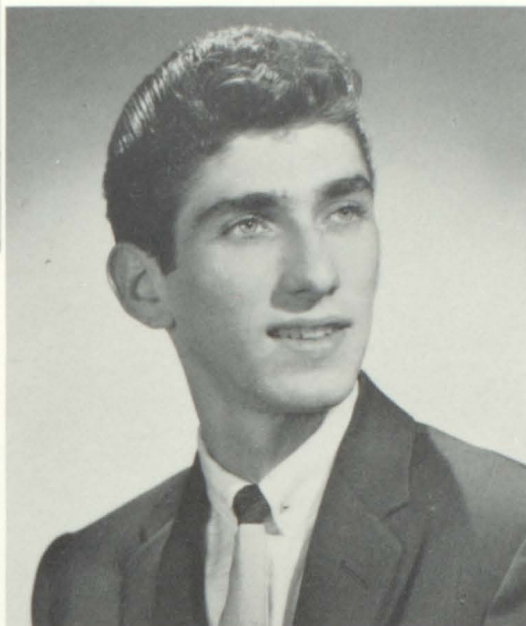


Judy Ann Garaffa

"Jeannie"

*"Petite, gentle and sweet,
A person who is hard to beat."*

G.W.A.



George J. Glomb

"Dapper"

*"Worry let it run away,
Live a life and live it gay."*

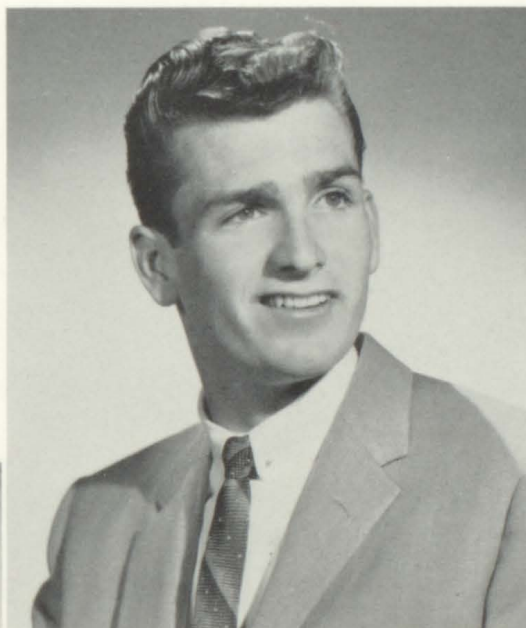
G.W.A.; Prom Committee.



Anne Grassia

*"Rather informal, always neat,
Plenty of poise, and oh how sweet."*

G.W.A.; Senior Senator; Chairman, Play Committee; Italian Club; Spanish Club; Theater Party; Tennis Club; Service Club; Senior Reception Committee.



Herbert Gruber

"Grub"

*"Happy go-lucky always free,
Why aren't they all content as he?"*

G.W.A.



Richard Victor Hermann

"Richie"

*"Football and Women,
Nothing else matters."*

G.W.A.; Varsity Football; Varsity Track—Outdoor; Spanish Club; Senior Decorating Committee; Chorus.

Carole Klump

*"She looks like an angel and acts like one too,
But you never can tell what an angel will do."*

G.W.A.; Dance Club.

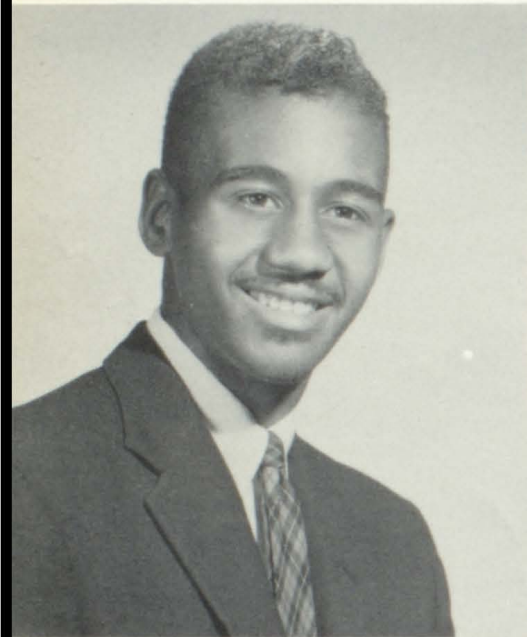


Madeline Margaret Korec

"Madd"

*"A charming smile, always gay,
Always helping in her own sweet way."*

G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; National Honor Society;
Business Honor Society; Senior Senator;
Senior Accountant; Service Club; Program
Typing Committee; G.W.A. Alternate.



Carl Jackson

"Carlos"

*"Silence is a virtue, but with him it's
a rarity."*

G.W.A.; Latin Club; Bowling Club; Prom
Committee.



Ronald Stephen Kovac

"Ronnie"

*"Happy go lucky and always free,
Why can't we be as contented as he?"*

G.W.A.; Co-Captain, Football Team; Bas-
ketball Team; Baseball Team; Visual Aids.

Gerda M. Kracker

"Gee-Gee"

*"Bright and pleasant,
Sweet and nice,
Lots of pep and lots of spice."*

G.W.A.; Attendance Staff; Yearbook Com-
mittee; P.T.S.A.; Westonian Sales Agent.

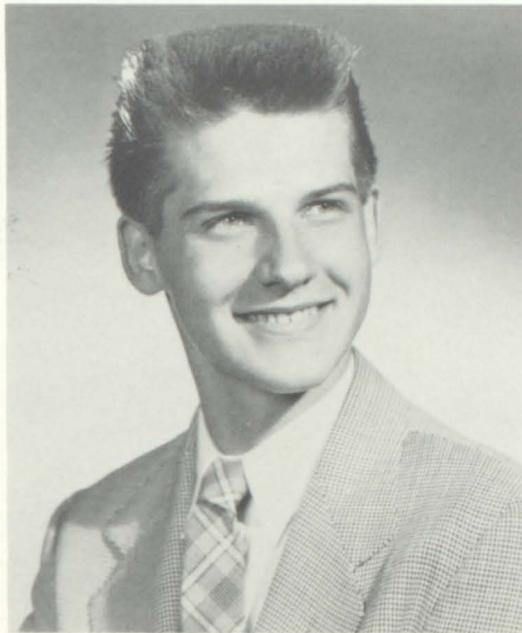




Carol Joyce Kretzmer

*"Whenever there is noise or sound,
You'll surely find that Carol's around."*

G.W.A. Representative; Yearbook Committee; Spanish Club; Westonian Sales Agent; G.W.A.; Service Club; Homeroom Banking Assistant.



Arthur L. Lange

"Art"

*"For him the world would have no joys,
If in there were only boys."*

Varsity Baseball Team; Senior Reception Decoration Committee; Prom Committee; P.T.S.A.; G.W.A.

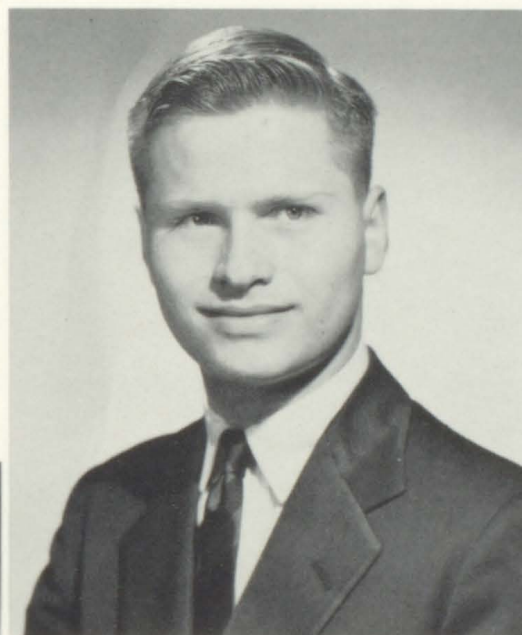


Elaine Dorothy La Para

"Shorty"

*"Lively, clever, jolly and gay;
A swell girl in every way."*

Secretary, National Honor Society; President, Italian Club; President, Dance Club; G.W.A. Student Council; Business Honor Society; Cheerleader; Pep Club; Senior Decoration Committee; Art Committee; Typing Committee; Dramateers; Bowling Club; Orchestra; Variety Show; F.T.A.; G.W.A. Representative.



David Frank Leone

"Dave"

"Studios - Reserved - Quiet."

Treasurer, National Honor Society; Treasurer, G.W.A. Representative, Italian Club; Homeroom Representative, Alternate, G.W.A.; Band; Orchestra; President, Garden Club; P.T.S.A.; Math Club.



Harriet Jean Leahy

"Jeannie"

*"She looks like an angel, and acts like one too,
But you never can tell, what an angel will do."*

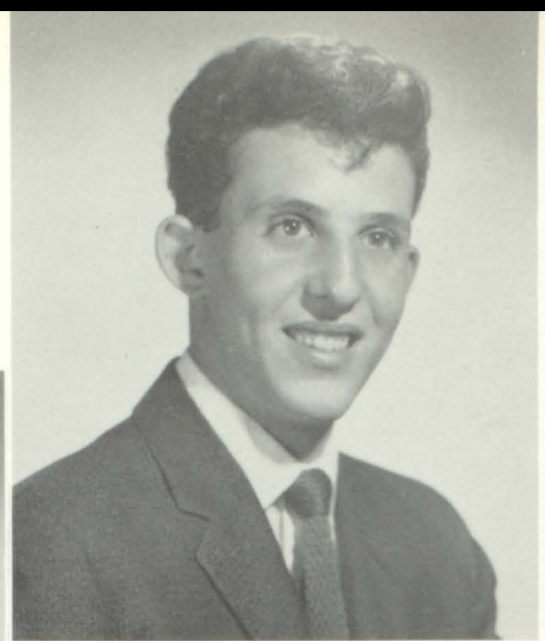
G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Service Club.

Richard John Liedtke

"Rich"

"A smile on his face, and girls on his mind."

Football; G.W.A.



Anthony Americo Limongelli

"Lemon"

*"He just loves the Girls, Girls, Girls,
They love him for his Curls, Curls, Curls."*

Spanish Club; Latin Club; Varsity Indoor
and Outdoor Track; Football; G.W.A.



Dolores Josephine Leone

"Dee"

*"What she undertook to do, she did and
did it well."*

Service Club; Italian Club.



Emma Lou Linfante

"Emmy"

*"A nicer girl in a nicer way,
Is very hard to find today."*

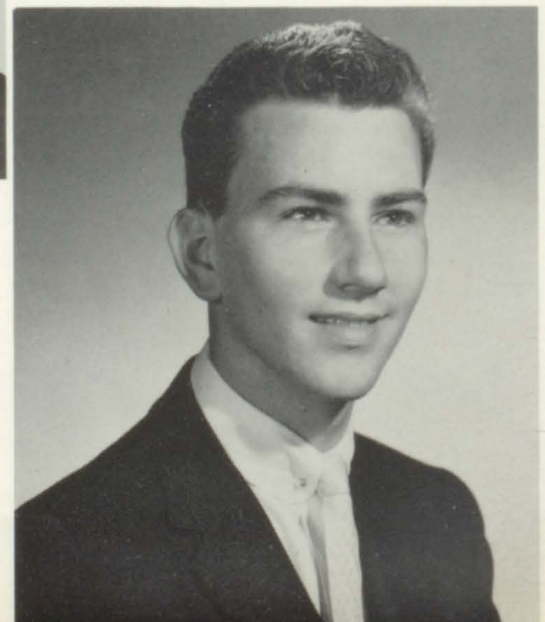
G.W.A.; Service Club; Invitation Com-
mittee; Swimming Club; Dance Club.

Anthony A. Lordi

"Lord"

*"Whenever wine, women, song appear,
Look around and he'll always be there."*

G.W.A.; Dance Club; Variety Show; Prom
Committee.





Joseph M. Lynch

"Joe"

*"Sometimes happy, sometimes sad,
Sometimes good, but most times bad."*

G.W.A.; Dance Club; Spanish Club; Pessimist Club; From Committee.

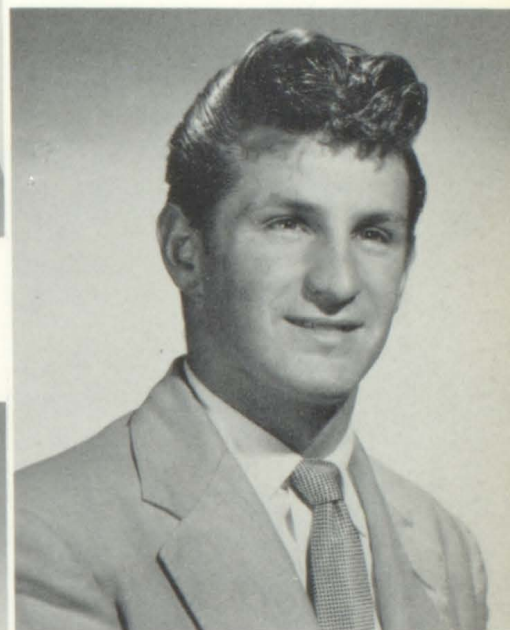


Barbara Estelle Martin

"Bobbie"

"Short, sweet, and pleasant to meet."

Service Club; Usherette; G.W.A.; Decorating Committee; Invitation Committee.



Richard Rocco Minervino

"Rich"

"A talkative chap, a friend to all with an air of mischief known to all."



Sandra Concetta Novia

"Dimples"

*"A pleasing smile and friendly way,
Are shown by you throughout each day."*

Secretary, Bowling Club; Italian Club; G.W.A.; Invitation Committee; Decorating Committee; Dance Club; Typing Committee.



Louise Patricia Miraglia

"Lou"

*"Cute and clever, naughty never;
Well hardly ever."*

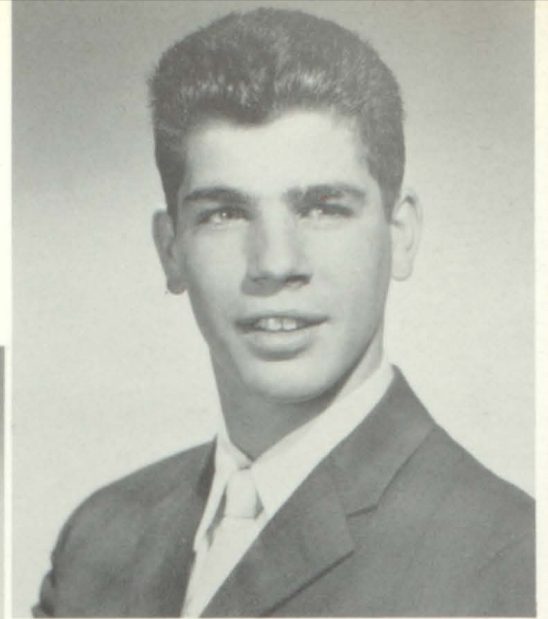
Vice President, Italian Club; Service Club; Senior Reception Committee; G.W.A.; Pep Club; Graduation Usherette; Swimming Club; Play Committee; Theater Party.

Grace Marie Palumbo

"Gra"

*"Always charming, always sweet,
Just the girl you'd like to meet."*

G.W.A.; Swimming Club.



Salvatore Caesar Palumbo

"Sal"

"A man's truck is his castle."

Cross Country; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.; Senior Reception; Band; Variety Show; Banking Representative; Senior Show.



Kenneth Olander

"Kenny"

*"Neither too careless nor too glad,
Neither too serious nor too sad."*

G.W.A.; Visual Aid.



Margaret Lucia Parlapiano

"Margie"

*"A rare combination of character and
looks."*

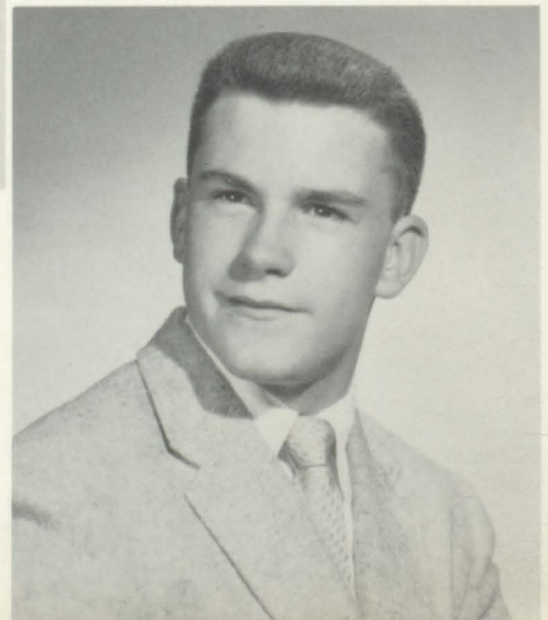
Italian Club; Art Club; G.W.A.; Tennis Club; Latin Club; Theater Party; Art Committee; Attendance Staff; Service Club.

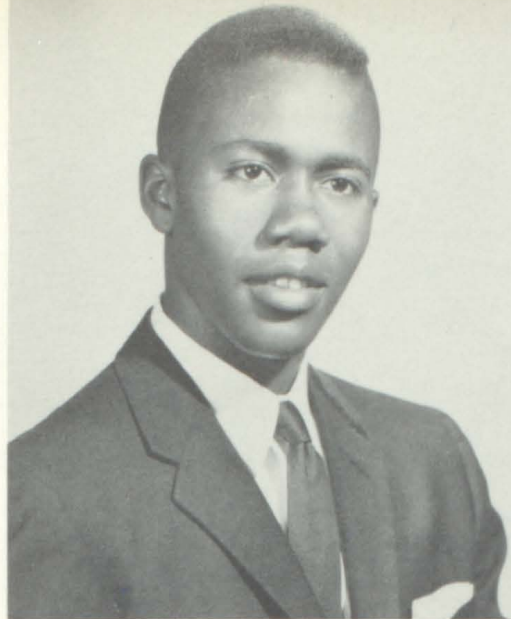
Harold S. Parrish

"Hank"

*"Full of fun and mischief too,
Doing things he shouldn't do."*

Visual Aids; G.W.A.; Outdoor Track; Indoor Track.





Las Eric Derry Patterson

"Eric"

"A smile on his face and girls on his mind."

President, Executive Council; President, Spanish Club; G.W.A.; G.W.A. Home-room Representative; Usher Committee; Decoration Committee; Glee Club; Audio Visual Aids; Library Club; Hall Patrol; Prom Committee; Vice President, Spanish Club.

Patricia Lee Patton

"Plip"

*"Her pleasing manner and bright red hair,
Make her liked most everywhere."*

Senior Senator; Twirlers; Yearbook Committee; Senior Decoration Committee; Graduation Usherette; Play Committee; G.W.A.; Swimming Club; Service Club; Tennis Club; P.T.S.A.; Theater Party.



Vivian Pellegrino

"Viv"

*"Joyous, unthinking, wild and young,
Who relished a joke and rejoiced in fun."*

G.W.A.; Senior Senator; Prom Committee.

James Pittaro

"Jimmy"

*"Tall and thin, never still,
He must have taken a vitamin pill."*

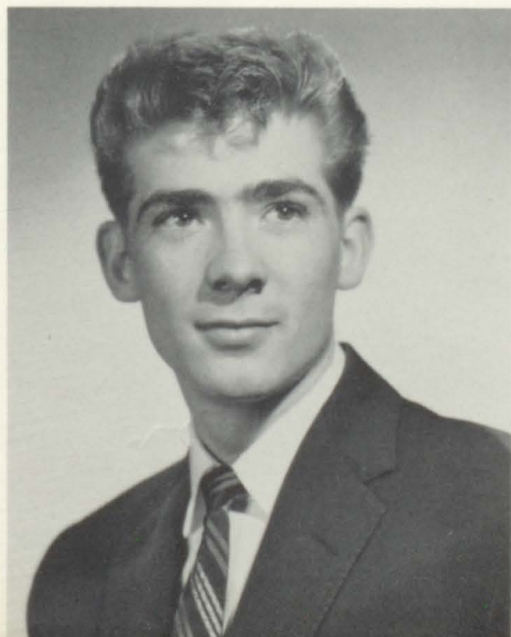
Prom Committee; G.W.A.; Visual Aids; Latin Club.



Carol Ann Pizzano

*"A cute and gay little chick,
Here's a girl that's mighty slick."*

G.W.A.; Westonian; Glee Club; Chorus; Dance Club; Service Club; Invitation Committee.

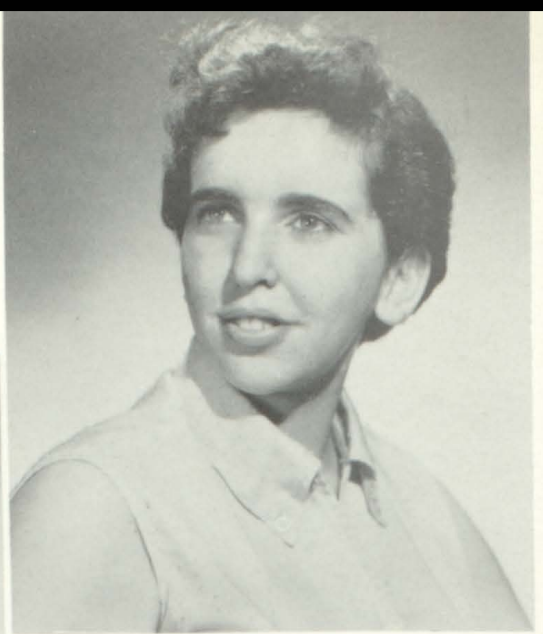


Kathy Dolores Pugliese

"Jez"

*"She is cute, small, and wise,
She is a terror for her size."*

Chorus; Glee Club; Service Club; G.W.A.;
Yearbook Committee; Dance Club; Bowl-
ing Club; P.T.S.A.



Deanna Genevieve Raczka

"Dee"

*"They say she's an angel, but there's a
devil in her eyes."*

Service Club; G.W.A.



Peter Robert Porsavage

"Pete"

*"If fun interferes with work, he forgets
about the work."*

Spanish Club; Band; Orchestra; Dance
Band; Dance Club.



Anthony John Rao

"Tony"

*"Whenever wine, women, and song appear
Look around and he'll always be there."*

Yearbook Committee; Senior Reception
Decorating Committee; Football Squad;
G.W.A.; Alternate Representative; Italian
Club; Spanish Club; Visual Aids.

Elisa Ann Ravo

"Lisa"

*"She's not too shy, not too bold,
Just the type for fun we're told."*

Yearbook Committee; Senior Reception
Decorating Committee; Graduation Usher-
ette; Play Committee; President, Vice
President, Italian Club; G.W.A. Home-
room Representative; P.T.S.A.; Tennis
Club; Theater Party; Swimming Club;
Service Club.





Gail Irene Rinsky

"Windy"

*"Willing to be helpful and always with a smile,
Gail is a girl who's found once in a while."*

National Honor Society; Business Honor Society; Senior Senator; G.W.A., Business Honor Society; Senior Accountant; Swimming Club; Program Typing Committee; P.T.S.A.; G.W.A.



Joanne Antoinette Rich

"Jo"

"Many a dull class has been brightened by her mischievous remarks."

G.W.A.; Service Club; Dance Club; Banking Representative; Westonian Selling Staff; P.T.S.A.

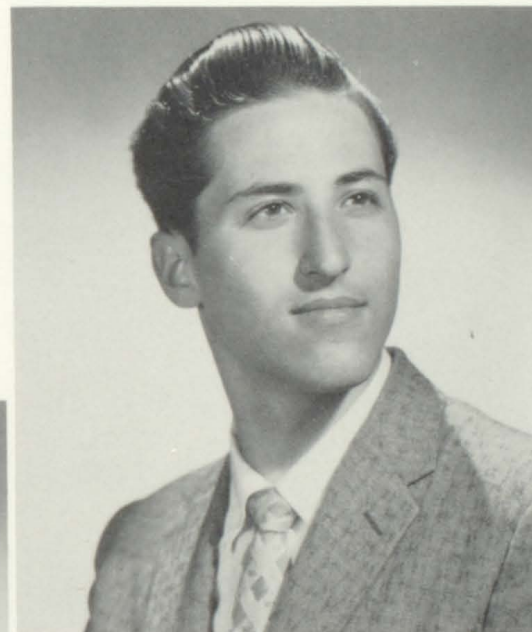


Edith Marie Sabba

"Edee"

*"Her dark eyes dance her manner gay,
Sweet tiny Edee's always that way."*

Senior Senator; Service Club; G.W.A.; Chorus; Girls' Glee Club; Westonian; Reception Committee; Art Club.



Howard Kenneth Seidenberg

"Big Sied"

"I've been dying for four years, now I'm going to live."

Track; G.W.A.



Barbara Jean Scilla

"Bobbi"

*"A snappy line, engaging grin,
The heart of many a man she'll win."*

G.W.A.; Art Club.

Donald E. Siegwarth

"Don"

*"Although he is to mischief bent,
His deeds are done with good intent."*

Outdoor Track; Indoor Track; Captain,
Cross Country Team; G.W.A.; Prom Com-
mittee; Usher; Spanish Club; Bowling
Club.



Alan Robert Sitek

"Al"

*"Good looking with a wonderful smile,
That's Al's asset and his own style."*

Varsity Outdoor Track; J.V. Basketball;
Senior Decorating Committee; Chairman,
Prom Committee; Vice President, G.W.A.
Executive Council; Homeroom Represen-
tative, G.W.A.; Spanish Club.



June Shabanowitz

*"Quietness at its height,
Sweetness at a sight."*



Robert Walter Skwarek

"Bob Swain"

*"Rhythm in his feet and music in his soul,
This fellow with the Nite-Lites adores
rock and roll."*

Band; Orchestra; Dance Club; Latin Club;
G.W.A.; Dance Band.

Margaret Johanna Smith

"Smitty"

*"Dancing eyes that send forth light,
And make the darkest places bright."*

Twirlers; National Honor Society; Vice
President, Spanish Club; Representative,
G.W.A.; French Club; Westonian; Service
Club; P.T.S.A.





Jean Spencer

*"To worry little, to study less,
Is her idea of happiness."*

G.W.A.; Basketball Club; Prom Committee.



Nancy Carol Stefanik

"Nan"

*"Classmate, honest and true
And furthermore a worker too."*

Theater Club; Art Club; G.W.A.



Ann Stefanski

"Ann"

*"She looks like an angel, acts like one too,
But you can never tell what an angel will
do."*

G.W.A.; Yearbook Committee; Service Club; Bowling Club; P.T.S.A.



Paula Ruth Steinberg

"Pa"

*"Her friends are always kept in a whirl,
By this clever, rambunctious, fun-loving
girl."*

G.W.A.; F.T.A.; Senior Senator; Vice President, French Club; Tennis Club; Prom Committee; Swimming Club; Senior Reception Committee; Westonian Reporter; Usherette; Vice President, Art Club; SWACS; P.T.S.A. Variety Show; Theater Party.



Loreatha Stewart

"Lorrie"

*"She's not too shy, not too bold,
Just the type for fun we're told."*

Spanish Club; Vice President, Library Club; Attendance Staff; Girls Basketball Club; Pep Club; G.W.A.; Swimming Club.

Mary Rose Tamburri

"Tammy"

*"Smiling face, carefree mind,
Friends like Mary we seldom find."*

Italian Club; G.W.A.; Senior Decorating Committee; Senior Invitation Committee; Typing Committee; Service Club; Swimming Club; Dance Club; Usherette.



Frances Joan Tartaglia

"Fran"

"Good things come in small packages."

G.W.A.; Service Club; Alternate G.W.A. Representative.



Joan Eleanor Stowaski

*"She's always happy, always gay,
Her chatter continues throughout the day."*

G.W.A.; Service Club; Invitation Committee.



Angela Tellone

"Long Sam"

*"She looks like an angel, acts like one too,
But one never can tell what an angel will do."*

President, Secretary, National Honor Society; French Club; Service Club; Theatre Party; Art Club; SWACS; Attendance Office; G.W.A.

Alfred Tenore

"Al"

"A handsome, shy, friendly guy."

Treasurer, Latin Club; Science Opportunity Class; Band; Math Club; G.W.A.; Instrument Office Attendant.





Barbara Ellen Toye

"Bobbi"

*"Blonde and peppy, fresh as paint,
Not a sinner, but not a saint."*

Captain, Twirlers; Senior Reception Committee; Usherette; Yearbook Committee; Latin Club; Art Club; Service Club; Dramateers; Theater Party; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.



Marie Torino

*"A cute and gay little chick,
Here's a girl that's mighty slick."*

Business Honor Society; G.W.A.



Jean Trajer

"Jeannie with the Bikini."

"There's a laughing smile in her eyes."

G.W.A.

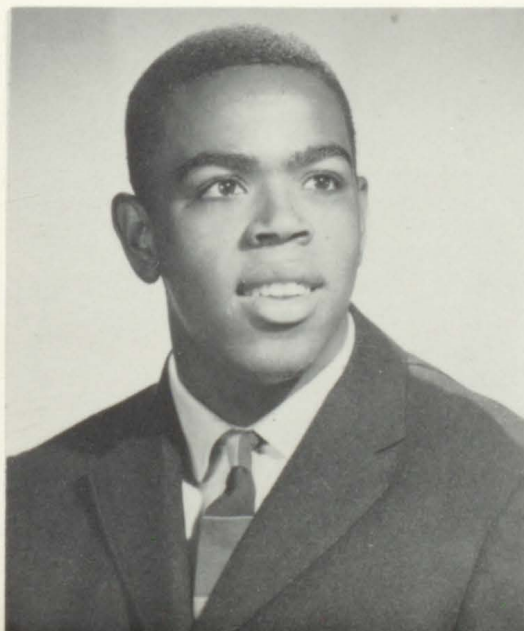


Thomas Anthony Tretola

"Tommy"

*"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the best of men."*

Varsity Football; Dance Club; Father and Son Association; Variety Show, G.W.A.



Randell Trawick

"Randy"

*"Basketball brought Randy fame,
He's found on the court in every game."*

Varsity Basketball; Track; G.W.A.

Carmen Vannella

*"Witty, lively and full of fun,
Yet one who usually gets work done."*

Dance Club; Swimming Club; G.W.A.



Joan Elizabeth Vecoli

"Vec-o-li"

*"A snappy line, an engaging grin,
The heart of a certain guy she'll win."*

Italian Club; Spanish Club; Bowling Club;
Tennis Club; Senior Reception Committee;
Play Committee; Senior Prom Committee;
Representative, G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.



Kenneth M. Trumpore

"Ken"

*"A nicer fellow with a nicer way,
Is very difficult to find today."*

Representative G.W.A.; Swimming Club;
Visual Aids.



Seymour Voglino

"See"

*"It's not what you know,
It's what you get away with."*

Italian Club; G.W.A.

Terrence Lee Waite

"Terry"

*"A versatile guy with lots of talent,
A singing voice and a style that's gallant."*

Spanish Club; Music Club; Soccer Team;
Glee Club; Bowling Club; All State;
Chorus.





Mary Mae Williams

"Mayzie"

*"Laughing and talking all the day long—
She's always doing something wrong."*

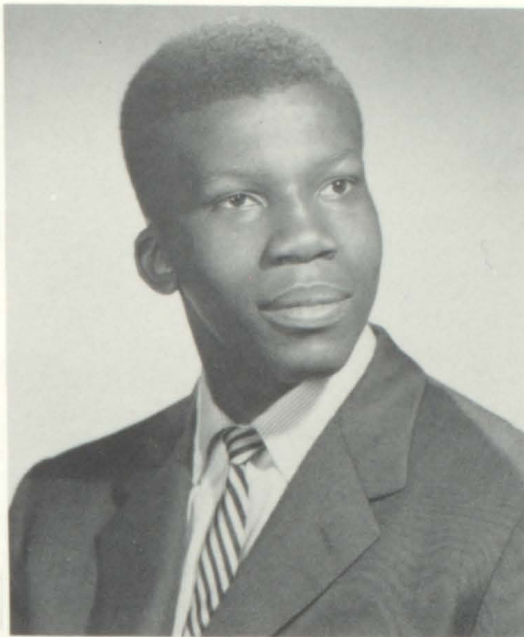
Basketball Club; Bowling Club; Variety Show; G.W.A.; P.T.S.A.

Duane Ernest Wilson

"Waine"

*"Good at sports, this fellow is one,
Who's never too busy to share in some
fun."*

Varsity Football; Varsity Track; G.W.A.; Visual Aids; Senior Reception Committee.



Josephine Yuresko

"Jo"

"Quiet and small and loved by all."

President, Art Club; President, Theatre Party; French Club; Latin Club; F.T.A.; Tennis Club; Westonian Reporter; Art Committee; Senior Reception Committee; Senior Show Usherette.



Joe Ann Marie Theresa Yadouga

"Joe"

*"Oh, those curls, that poker face;
Eventually she'll set a pace."*

Secretary, SWAC; G.W.A.; Spanish Club; Service Club; Invitation Committee.



Rosemary Ann Zarych

"Ro"

*"Like granulated sugar,
So sweet and refined."*

National Honor Society; G.W.A. Representative; Latin Club; Service Club; Science Club; Art Club; Theater Party; Senior Reception Committee; Art Committee; Band; Orchestra; Basketball Club.



Paula Elizabeth Zitelli

"Paul"

*"Full of fun and mischief too,
She has the charm possessed by few."*

Attendance Staff; Service Club; Dance Club; Bowling Club; G.W.A.; Decorating Committee; Yearbook Typing Committee.

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In morning light and evening fall,
Through all the days of coming years—
In times when glowing futures call—
In hearts with laughter and with tears,
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High.
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High.

This love we have for you has grown
More bright than any treasured gold,
It deepens through each friend we've known.
Each truth that to our hearts is told.
Within the shelter of your walls,
Within the rooms where wisdom calls.
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High.

Though we have need to wander far,
Close in our hearts your name will be.
Your goodness, like a radiant star,
Will rise with every memory,
And having these sweet dreams of you,
We shall remember and be true.
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High.

In morning light and evening fall,
Through all the days of coming years,
In times when glowing futures call,
In hearts with laughter and with tears,
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High!
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SENIOR HONOR ROLL

INTA BIERNIS

JOAN ERMA CUNHA

MARTHA KATHRYN D'ALESSANDRO

ANNETTE DE RIGGI

MERILYN JOY DI FILIPPO

MARIE ELENA DI NICOLA

SHIRLEY JEAN EVANS

MADELINE MARGARET KOREC

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MARGARET LUCIA PARLAPIANO

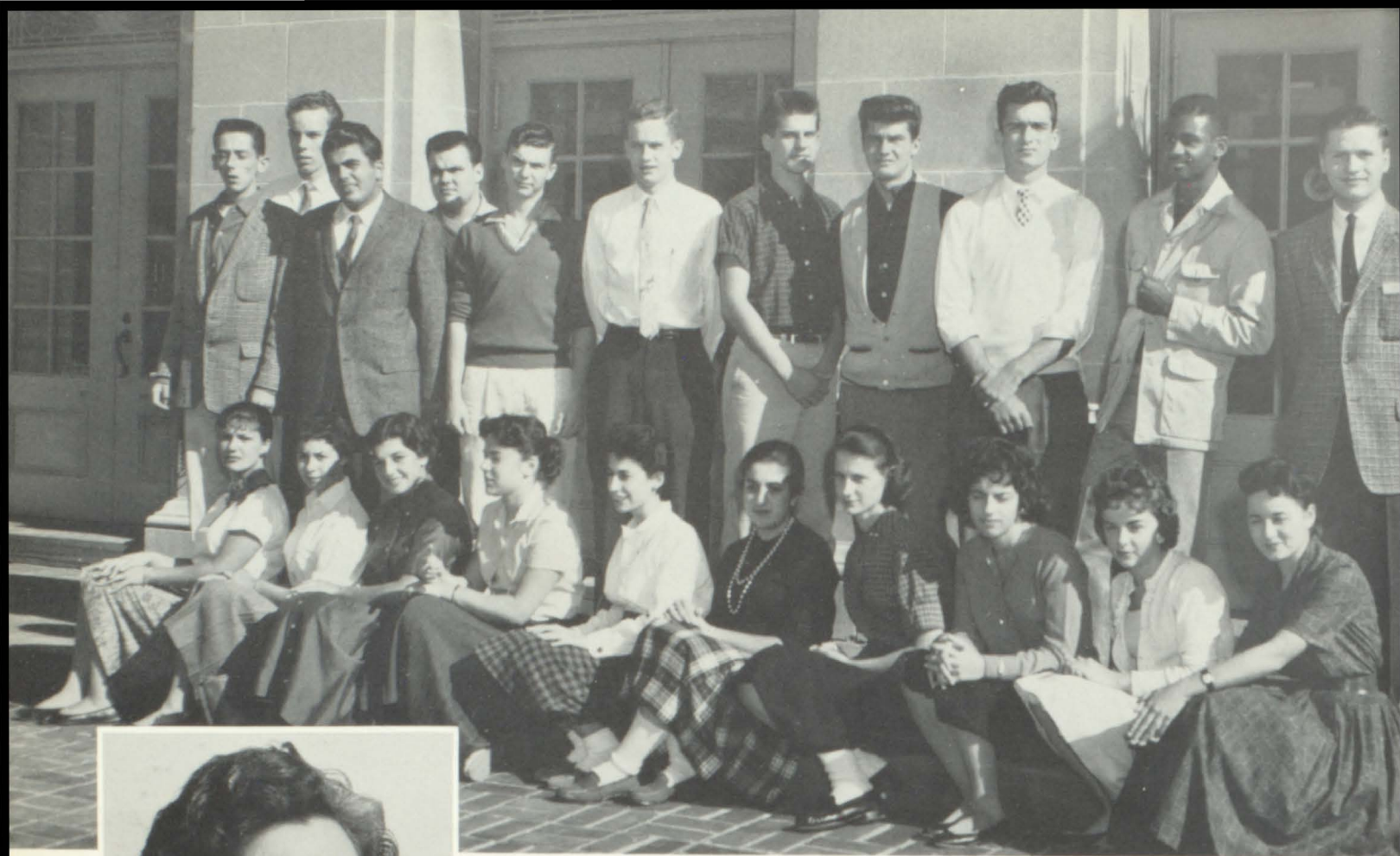
GAIL IRENE RINSKY

MARGARET JOHANNA SMITH

ANGELA TELLONE

BARBARA ELLEN TOYE

ROSEMARY ANN ZARYCH



Homeroom 107



Anna R. Johnston

Senior Poll

Name	Found Doing	Remembered For	After West Side
Anicito, Theresa	Talking to Marie	Coming into homeroom late	Dickie
Arndt, Kenneth	Procrastinating	Chewing gum in History class	Not talking while the flavor lasts
Behnke, Joe	Smoking	Being too serious	Chemist
Betterbed, Judith	Trying to keep awake in class	Dark eyes	College
Biernis, Inta	Always eating	Going to auto races	Pratt Institute??
Camarato, Fran	Talking about a certain guy	Daydreaming in class	Go to Florida
Coakley, Henry	Trying to win a losing argument	Arguing with anybody	No speak the English
Cunha, Joan	Anything and everything	Making speeches in the Auditorium	Vito-!
D'Alessandro, Martha	Chatting with Merilyn	Hating the name "Mouse"	Ivy league college
Del Preore, Salvatore	Sleeping in study	His smile	College
Di Filippo, Merilyn	Gabbing with Martha	Running through halls, putting up posters	Ivy league college
Di Luzio, Giuliana	Dreaming	Being nice	Nursing school
Di Nicola, Marie	Playing with school ring	Hating Doris Schneider	BILL
Evans, Shirley	Homework	Being quiet and very sweet	Telephone operator, marriage
Freeland, Leroy	Hanging in halls	Anything illegal	Work
Hermann, Richard	Coming late to class	Joking in class	Be a pharmacist??
Jackson, Carl	Trying to make a hit with the babes	Non-conformist	College
Kovac, Ronald	Arguing with Kriegsfeld	Being late	Oxford
Lange, Art	Trying to reason with Mr. Kriegsfeld	Thinking of ways to prove Mr. Kriegsfeld wrong	College???
Leahy, Jean	Talking to boys between class	Fighting with a certain teacher	Marriage and career
Leone, David	Eating	Going on diets	College and more college

Senior Poll

Name	Found Doing	Remembered For	After West Side
Limongelli, Anthony	Arguing with Mr. Kriegsfeld	Asking for a hall pass	Unemployment
Miraglia, Louise	Always found in front seat, second row in 223	Worrying	Elementary school teacher
Parlapiano, Margaret	Studying for History test	Lunchroom diets	Nursing school
Patterson, Las Eric	Singing in the halls	Making speeches	College
Patton, Patricia	Laughing with Elisa	The jokes about her hair	Nursing at Rutgers with Barbara
Porsavage, Pete	Cheating on tests	The Nite-Lites	College
Rao, Anthony	Drinking	Good looks	Navy and college
Ravo, Elisa	Clowning with Pat	Only one with 4th period lunch	Student at Newark State Teacher's College
Siegwarth, Don	Running cross country and track and talking to Mr. Kriegsfeld	Bass voice	College
Sitek, Alan	Clowning with Hermann	Never being serious	Pharmacist
Skwarek, Bob	Putting out Lite from Nite-Lites	The Nite-Lites	Before East Side
Smith, Margaret	Chewing gun	Hollering to Angela in the Halls	College and my M.R.S.
Steinberg, Paula	Falling out of car doors	Her parties	Overbrook
Tellone, Angela	Squinting	Hollering for "Smitty" in the halls	A loaf of bread, a jug of wine, and thou
Tenore, Alfred	Leaving Homeroom everyday	Passing Trig.	College
Toye, Barbara	Working in 201 for Mr. Es.	"The" Blonde Streak	Nursing at Rutgers U. with Pat
Vecoli, Joan	Dreaming of?	Telling jokes	Lifetime of happiness
Voglino, Seymour	Fooling around	Copying homework	Collect unemployment checks
Waite, Terrence	Homework in homeroom	Singing	Navy
Windsor, Ed	Standing on the corner	Seeing Judy when it is possible	Who knows?
Yuresko, Josephine	Art work in 302	Day dreaming	Art Director
Zarych, Rosemary	Trying to get the bells out of 201	Being quiet	College for Math or Science and a husband

Helen E. Walton



Homeroom 108





Carmine J. Dispenziere

Homeroom 110

Senior Poll

Name	Found Doing	Remembered For	After West Side
Babbitts, Barbara	Watching the clock	A soft speaking voice	Earn my first million
Becker, Carol	Flirting with Harry	Blonde hair	European tour
Berres, Ronnie	Homework	Carrying books	College
Blasenbauer, John	Dreaming in class	Never doing homework	Army
Bove, May	Teasing	Being very quiet	Taking it easy
Bozym, Ann Marie	Wearing two different sneakers	Being pokey	Business machine operator
Bravoco, Mary Ann	Walking slow to class	Hair cut	Marry Ronnie
Curran, Tom	Nothing	Nothing	Job
Curry, Lessie	Eating and talking	Cheering people up	Get married
DeFalco, Joann	Talking about Billy	Going-Steady	Marry Billy
DeRiggi, Annette	Chewing gum	Getting into trouble	Recuperate
Detore, Louis	Watching sophomore girls	Unorderly conduct	Reform
DeVizio, Maria	Walking slow to class	Crazy hair cuts	To be happy
DeVizio, Shirley	Telling jokes	Always giggling	Work, then get married
Dubinski, Steve	Nothing	Selling 64 Booster's	Uncle Sam
Dubrosky, Patricia	Doing homework in homeroom	Having Jello for dessert	Office worker
Duffe, Joan	Helping Pat with her Bookkeeping	Saying "Oakly Dokey"	Bookkeeper
Fletcher, Matilda	Chewing gum	Talking to the guys between classes	Grammar school teacher
Gallo, Mary	Homework	Quietness	Office worker
Garaffa, Judy	Homework in homeroom	Asking Joan for help	Secretary
Glomb, George J.	Teasing the girls	The three in 112	IBM school
Grassia, Anne	Talking to Ann about J. B.	Talking about Tony M.	Go to college and teach Spanish
Gruber, Herb	Nothing	Eating lunch with Lynn	N.C.E. and marrying Lynn
Klump, Carol	Talking to Richie in the halls	Combing her blonde hair	Help Kathy make her millions
Korec, Madeline	Talking to Gail	Having soup for lunch	Private Secretary
Kracker, Gerda	Helping Ronnie with his English	Talking about her new boy friends	Beautician
Kretzmer, Carol	Talking to Joanne	Always giggling	Work and get married
LaPara, Elaine	Laughing	Sense of humor	College or secretary
Leone, Dolores	Homework	Sincerity	Business
Liedtke, Richard	Talking to Sophomore girls	Dating Sophomore girls	Probably marrying a Sophomore girl
Linfante, EmmaLou	Talking about Mike	Her pixies and long hair	Marry Mike and be happy go lucky
Lordi, Tony	Playing the piano in the Aud.	Flirting with female	"College Bound"
Lynch, Joe	Studying	Coming in late	College
Martin, Barbara	Laughing	Talking about Paul	Marry Paul

Senior Poll

Name	Found Doing	Remembered For	After West Side
Minervino, Richard	Looking for a blonde	Falling in class	
Novia, Sandra	Biting her nails	Dimples	Get married
Orlander, Kenneth	Nothing	Laughing at the teachers	Be a millionaire
Palumbo, Grace	Dropping English book	Picking up English book	Secretary
Palumbo, Sal	Giving teacher's bad times	Bothering the girls	Start making million
Parrish, Harold	Clowning	Giving Mr. Hill a hard time	Coast Guard
Pellegrino, Vivian	Talking to Joan	Raising my eyebrows	See the world
Pittaro, James	Relaxing	Who knows	
Pizzano, Carol	Making a racket	Crazy pixie	European tour
Pugliese, Kathy	Joking in class	Breaking up with Ray	Make millions
Raczka, Deanna	Homework	A smile and a friendly hello	Stenographer
Rezzonico, John	Nothing	English 4	Work
Rich, Joanne	Laughing	Teasing Mr. Dudas	Marriage to Mickey
Rinsky, Gail	Talking to Madeline	Debating with Teachers	Business teacher
Sabba, Edith	Wise cracking and drawing in class	HER black hair	To open her own dancing school
Scilla, Barbara	Eating lunch in class	Long black hair	Raise 18 kids
Seidenberg, Howard	Fixing the (Grey Beetle) car	Getting in trouble with Mr. Dudas	To become a billionaire
Shabanowitz, June	Talking	Didn't succeed as a secretary	Join the Waves
Spencer, Jean	Waiting for a Sailor	Accordion playing	Secretary
Stefanik, Nancy	Homework		Office work
Stefanski, Ann	Eating in class	Red convertible	Raising 13 kids
Stewart, Loreatha	Talking in the halls	Making funny faces	Plenty of sleep and work
Stowaski, Joan	Talking to Vivian	Red Hair	Travel
Tamburri, Mary	Talking about a certain person	Telling stories about a certain person	Secretary
Tartaglia, Frances	A lot of things	Talking to Joann in Cafeteria	Start all over again
Trajer, Jean	Playing practical jokes	Hearty laugh	Registered Nurse
Trawick, Randell	Looking for a light game of basketball	Sounding on Will Davis and Howard Edmonds	College or Air Force
Tretola, Tom	Studying	Studying	Sleep
Torino, Marie	Wise cracking in class with Edee	Wearing brown	Legal secretary
Trumpore, Ken	Talking with the girls	Dragging with Mr. Long	College
Vannella, Carmen	Being with the girls	Being born	Have a Harem
Williams, Mary	Coming late	Loving the H.R. Teacher	European tour
Wilson, Duane	Chasing girls	Chasing girls	College
Yadoug, Jo Ann	Waiting for a white Cadillac convertible	Many rings	Marriage
Zitelli, Paula	Searching for the right man	Blue eyes	Marriage

Daniel J. Wacker



Homeroom 111





YEARBOOK COMMITTEE



YEARBOOK TYPING COMMITTEE

ACTIVITIES



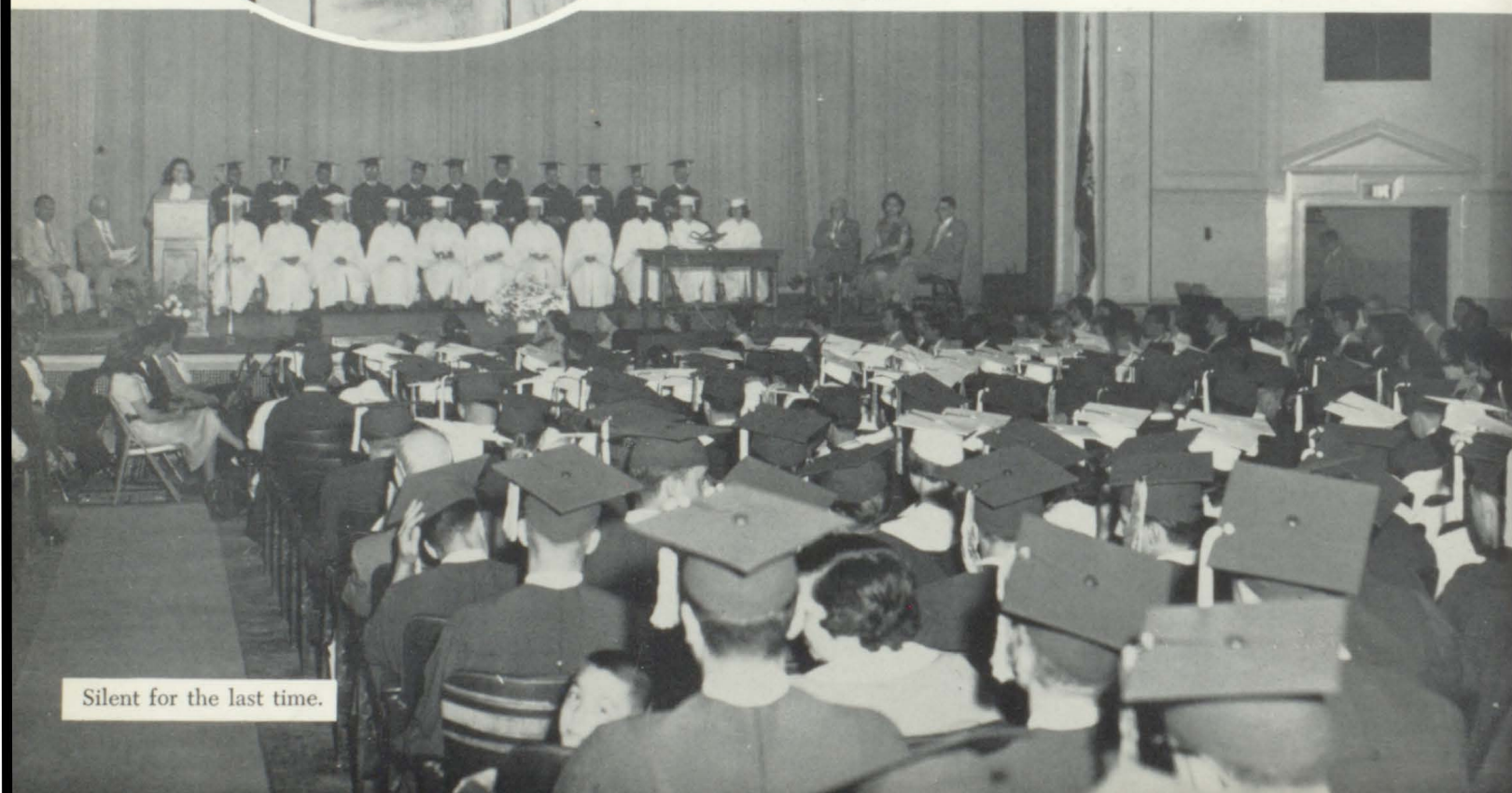


Their last day.



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The beginning of the end.



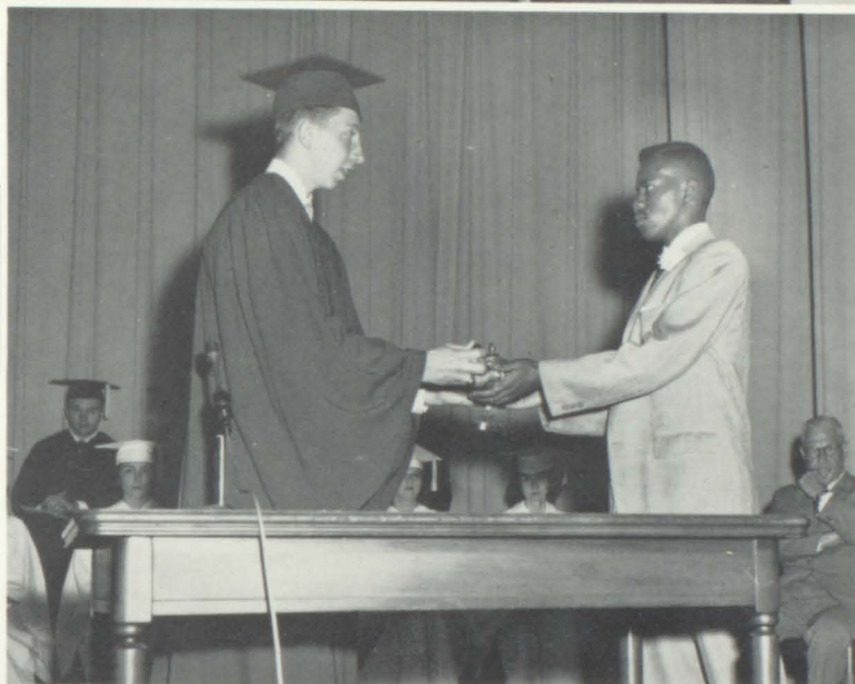
Silent for the last time.



Down the aisle.

DAY

Officially 4A's.



Silent and serene!

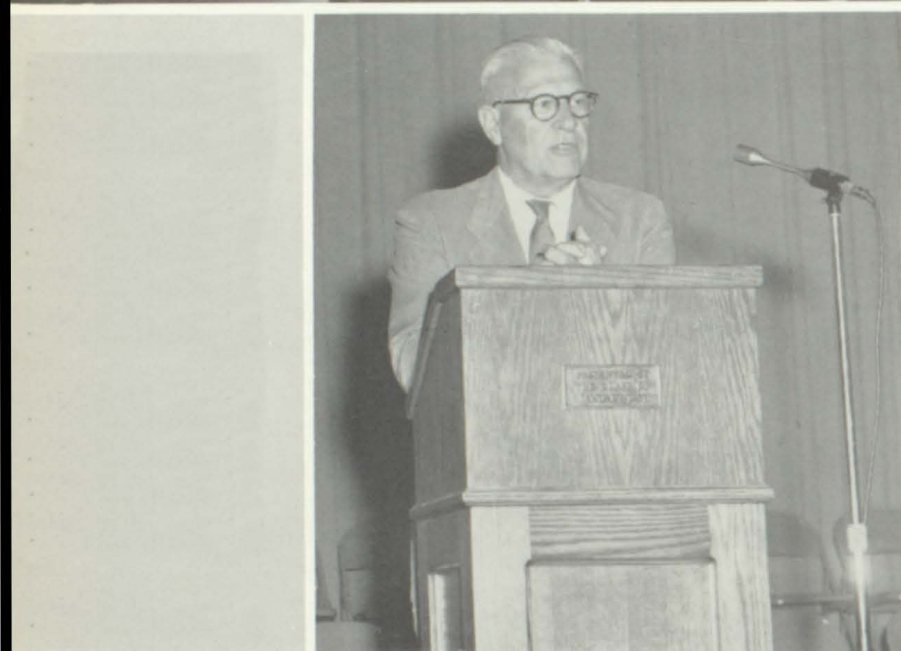


And still they come.

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You're seniors now!!

The best seats in the house!





4A awards.

DAY

We stare in awe!!!



So proud!!!





Swingin' with the Savoys.



Searchin' for the boys!!

Let the good time roll.



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In the mood.

RECEPTION



Five lassies, and a lad.



It's just a lazy summer night.

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Crowning glory!



Queen and King for a night!!

Royal spin.



RECEPTION

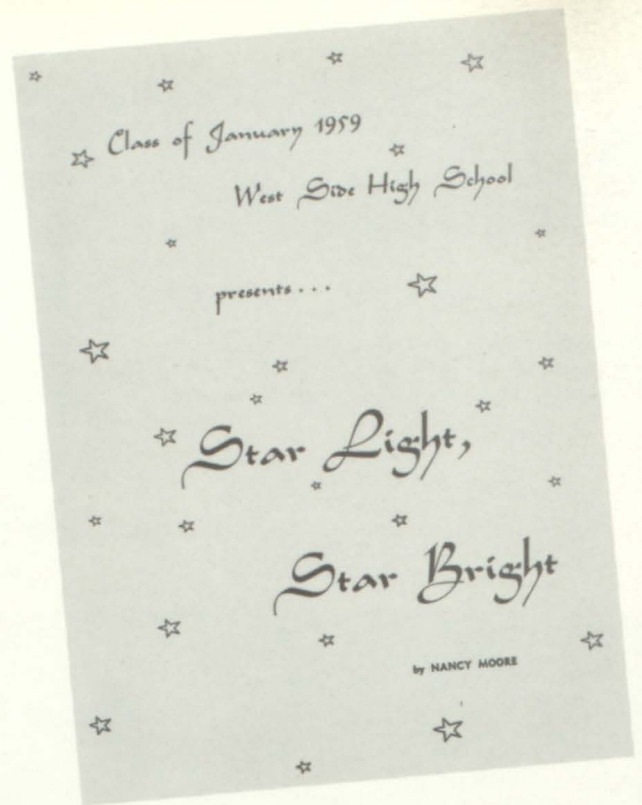
Our proud advisers!



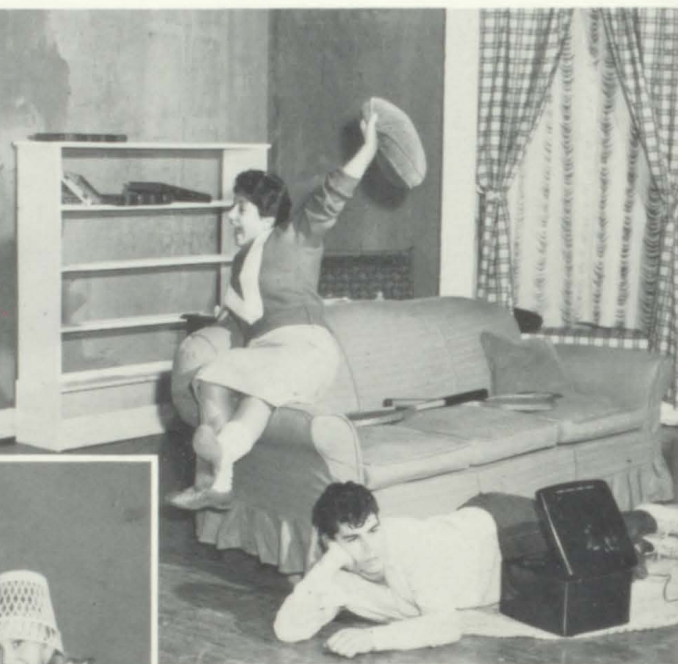
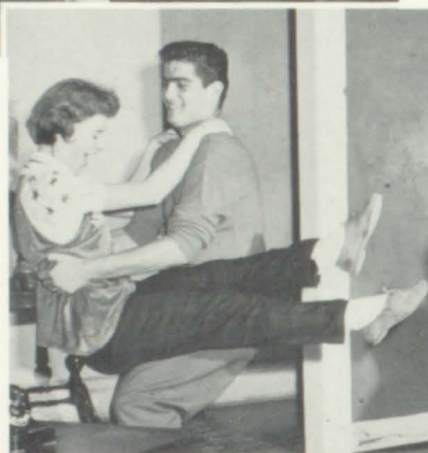
Ahhh!!!
Finally a break.

Feet sore, yet???





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The Class of January 1959

Presents

Star Light, Star Bright

By

NANCY MOORE

Directed by
GRACE GROTE

Sets by
DONALD GROTE

EDWARD FESSLER

Class advisers

ANNE MAZEJKA

West Side High School Auditorium

Friday Evening, November 21

Saturday Evening, November 22

8:15 p.m.

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PLAY





Star Light, Star Bright

Cast in order of appearance

Susan Townsend	PAULA STEINBERG
Buzz Townsend	SAL PALUMBO
Chuck Lindley	TONY RAO
Jennifer Clayton	ELAINE LA PARA
Gordon Male	ART LANGE
Mrs. Townsend	JOAN VECOLI
Mr. Townsend	KEN TRUMPORE
Nelle Macon	JOAN CUNHA
Lucy Macon	BARBARA TOYE
Buddy	STEVE DUBLINSKI
Joan	MERILYN DI FILIPPO
George	ALFRED TENORE
Baby	MARTHA D'ALESSANDRO
Elsie	MATILDA FLETCHER
Jimmy	CARL JACKSON
Clifford	DUANE WILSON
Charleston Dancers	CAROL BECKER
	EMMY LINFANTE
	ANNE GRASSIA
	LOUISE MIRAGLIA

Direction

DONALD GROTE

GRACE GROTE

Scene — Mr. Townsend's study. Any typically American small city.
Time — The present.

ACT I

An afternoon in late spring

ACT II

Scene I. That night after dinner
Scene II. The next night

ACT III

Half an hour later

During the intermission there will be music by
Bob Skwarek Pete Porsavage Johnny San Pat Mara



Our Staffs

PRODUCTION STAFF

Stage Manager	Art Lange
Prompters	Matilda Fletcher
Property Master	Duane Wilson
Make-up	Loreatha Stewart
	Mary Ann Bravaco
	Shirley De Vizio
	Rosemary Zarych
	Joanne Yadonga

Crew

Steve Dublinski	Elaine La Para	Martha D'Alessandro
Art Lange	Joan Cunha	Emmy Linfante
Rosemary Zarych	Paula Steinberg	
Barbara Babbitts	Josephine Yureski, chairman	
Martha D'Alessandro	Juliana De Luzio	Margaret Parlapiano
Annette De Riggi	Steve Dublinski	Pat Patton
Merilyn Di Filippo	Shirley Evans	Elisa Ravo
Joan Duffe	Judy Garaffa	Mary Tamburri
	Anne Grassia	Rosemary Zarych
	Elaine La Para	

Typing Committee

Terry Anicito	Shirley Evans	Anne Grassia	Madeline Korec
	Gail Rinsky		

Credits

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We wish to thank the many members of West Side High School faculty who generously lent us properties for the production and whose cooperation helped to make it possible.

HELEN
AYRES
CLARKE

YEARBOOK
ADVISER



In this small way,
We wish to say,

That we leave you all our love,
And hope and pray that all above,
Will bless you each and everyday,
For all your help throughout our stay.

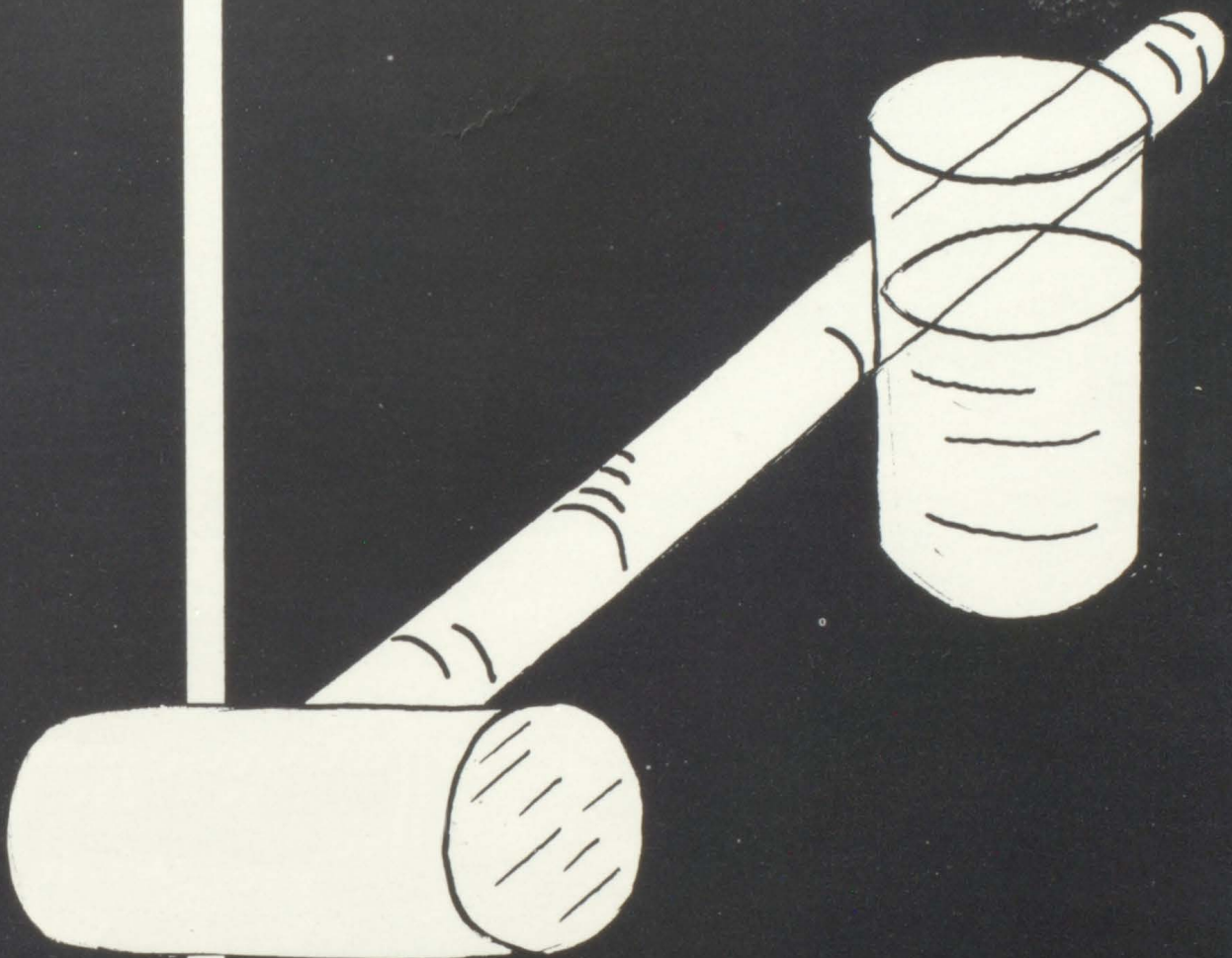
Miss Clarke with her understanding heart,
Has made it sad for us to part.

But, we must dry our tears,
And think about the future years,

The Sophomores, Juniors, and the rest,
To whom Miss Clarke will give her best.

We must go like others before,
But, Miss Clarke will be remembered forever more.

CLUBS





JUNE COMMENCEMENT USHERETTES



JUNE COMMENCEMENT USHERS



SENIOR SENATORS



SENIOR TREASURERS

PROM
COMMITTEE



PLAY READING COMMITTEE



VISUAL AIDS STAFF



PLAY POSTER COMMITTEE



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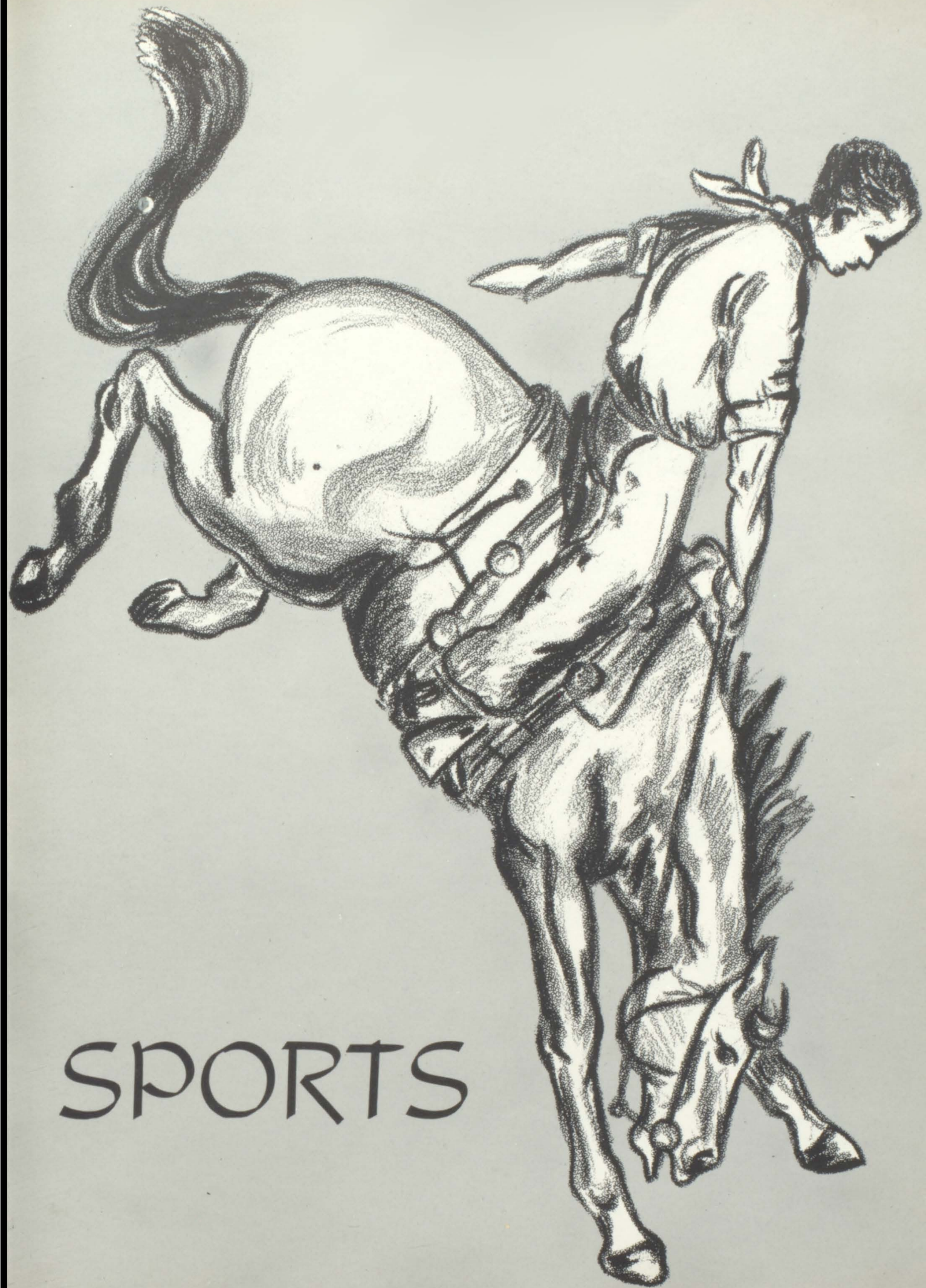
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DANCE CLUB





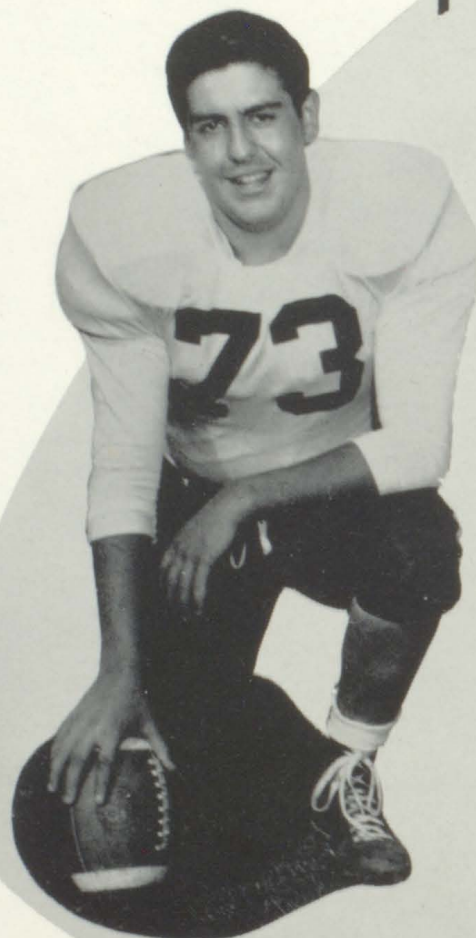
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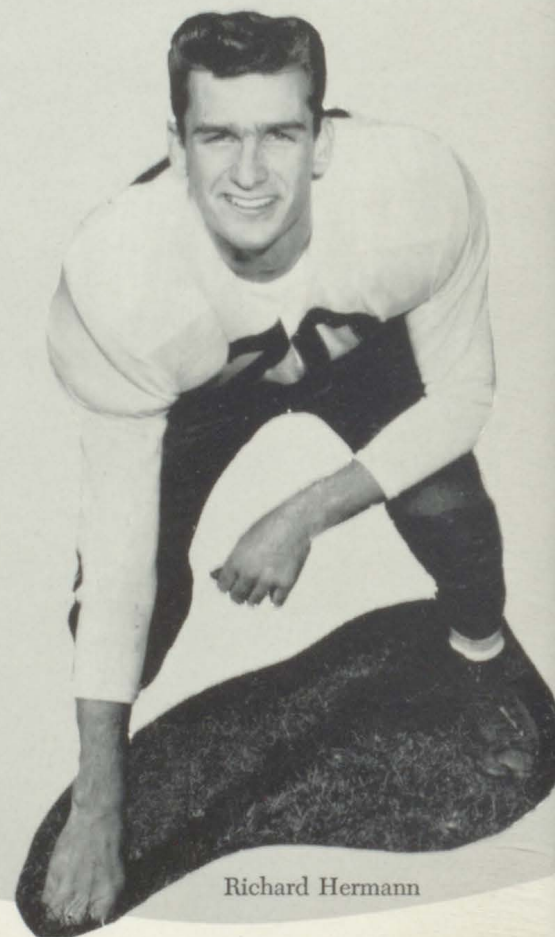
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Ronald Kovac, Co-Captain



Thomas Tretola



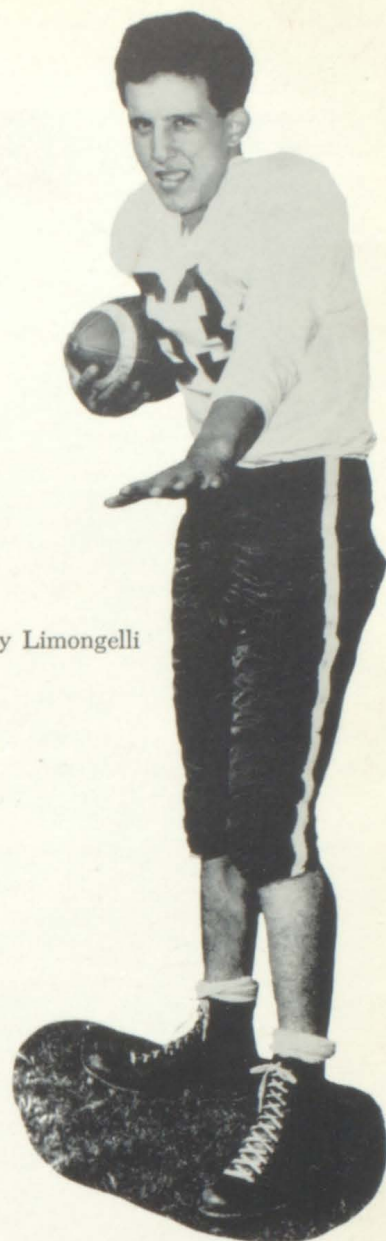
Richard Hermann



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Anthony Limongelli



TEAM

Color Guard



Salvatore Del Preore



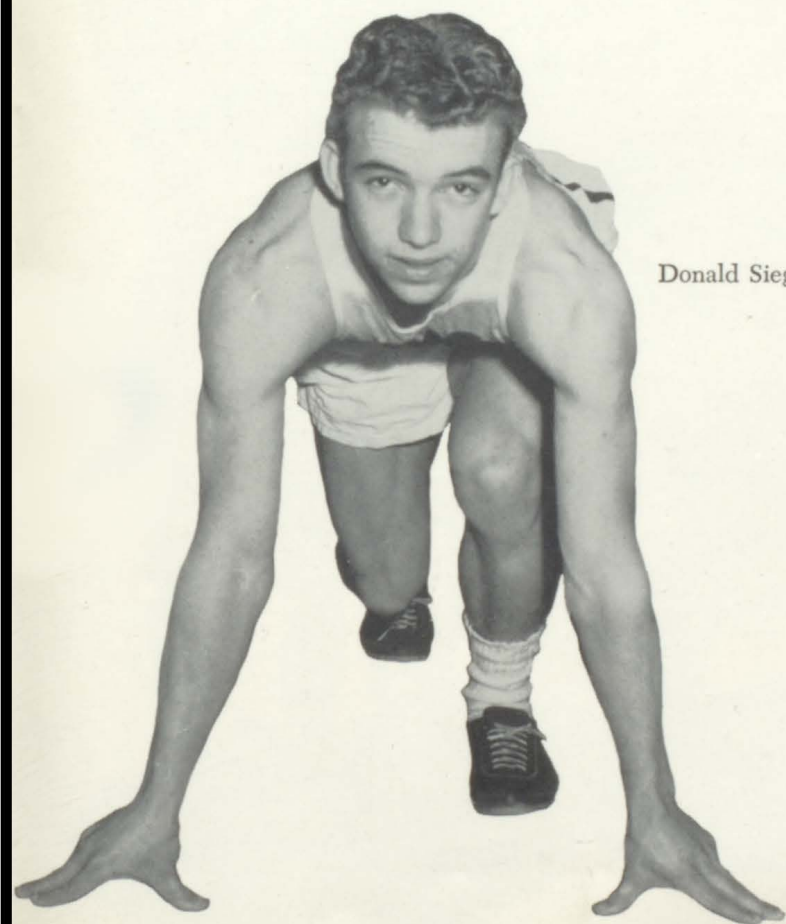
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TRACK TEAM





SOCCER TEAM



Donald Siegwarth

Terry Waite

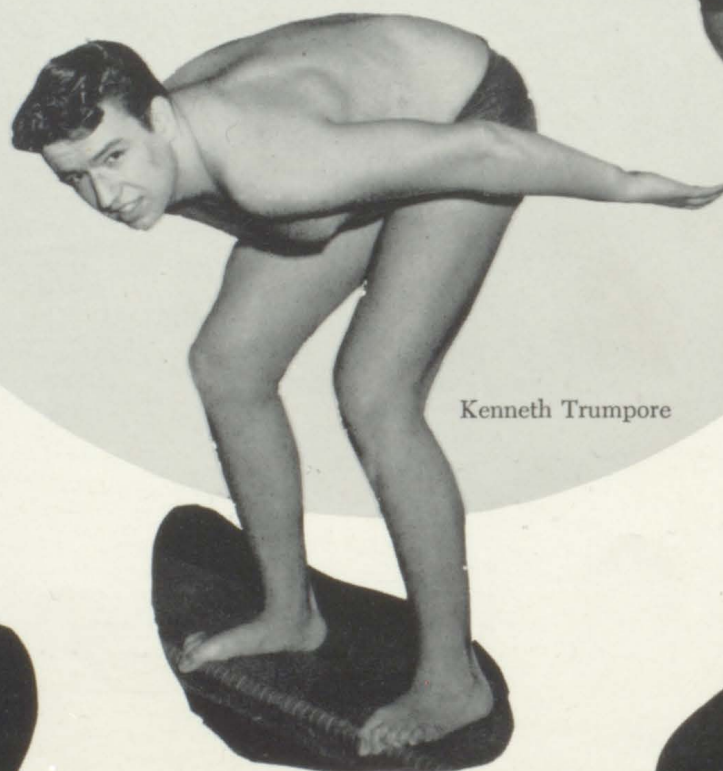




BASKETBALL TEAM

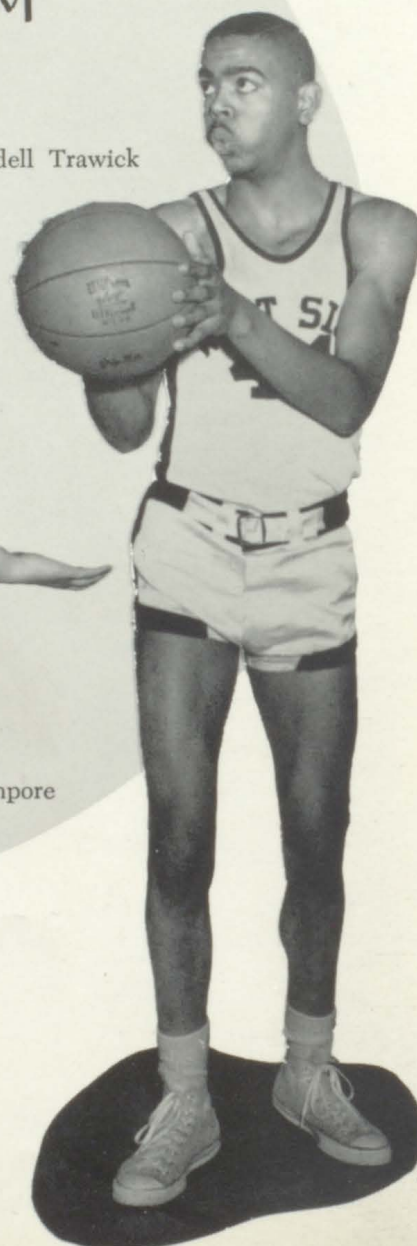


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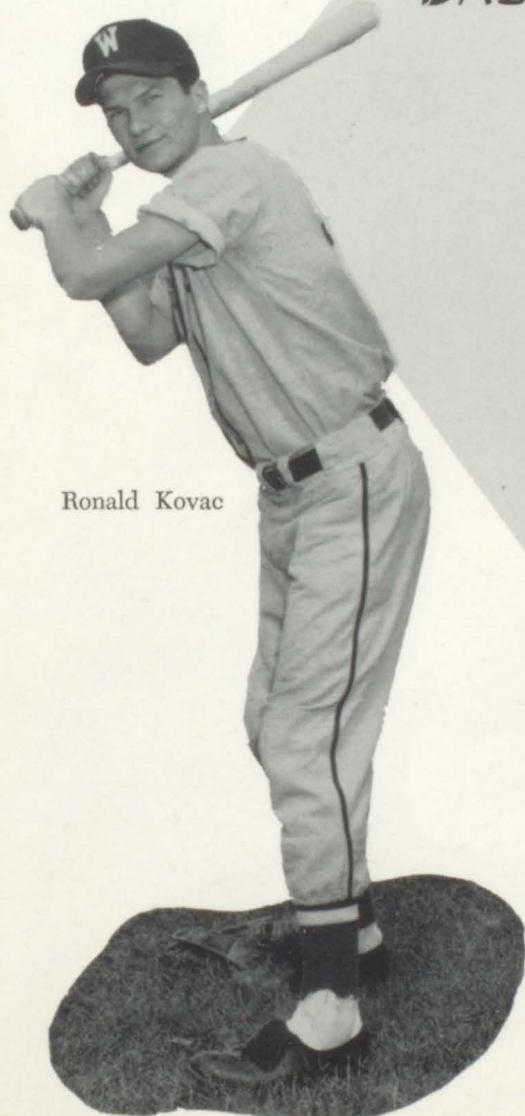
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Randell Trawick

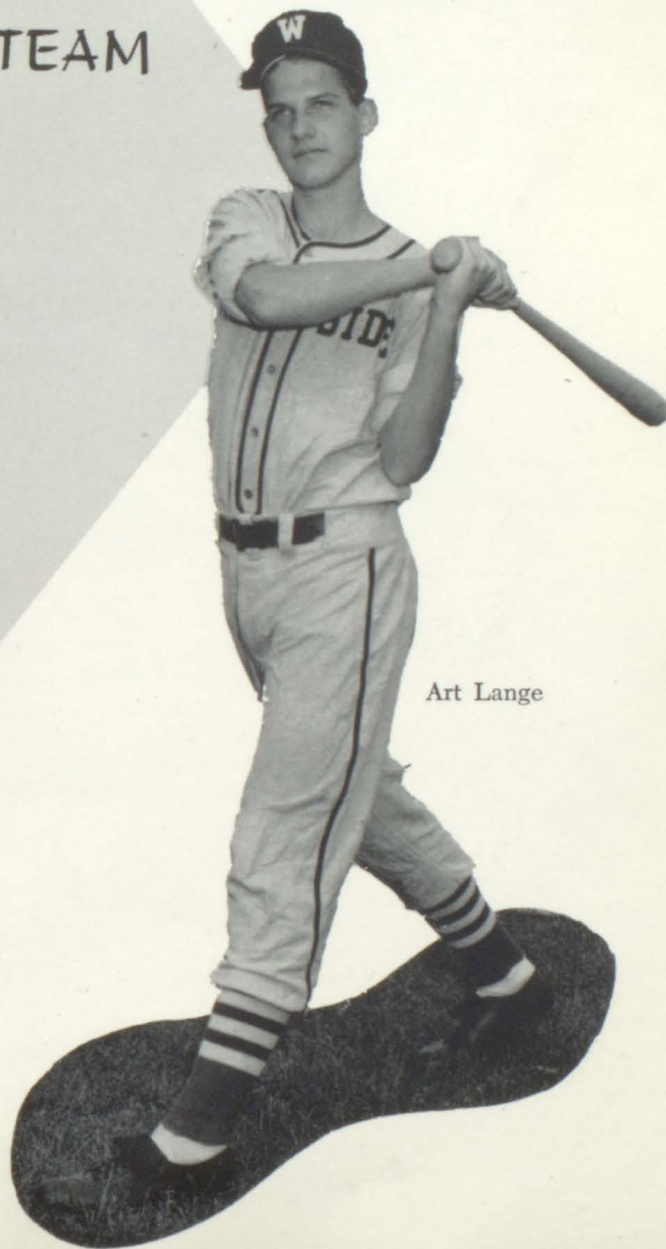




BASEBALL TEAM



Ronald Kovac



Art Lange



TWIRLERS



Barbara Toye, Captain



Margaret Smith



Patricia Patton



Linda Capron, Mascot

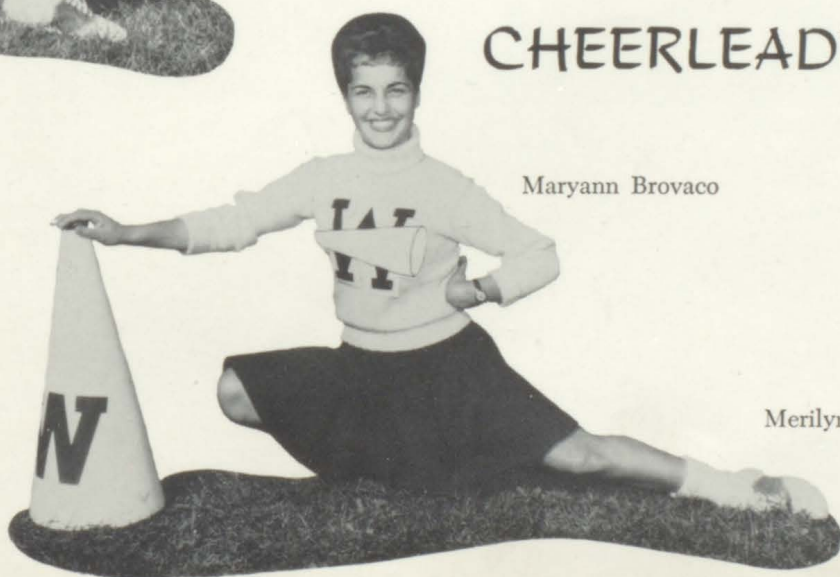


Elaine La Para



Carol Becker

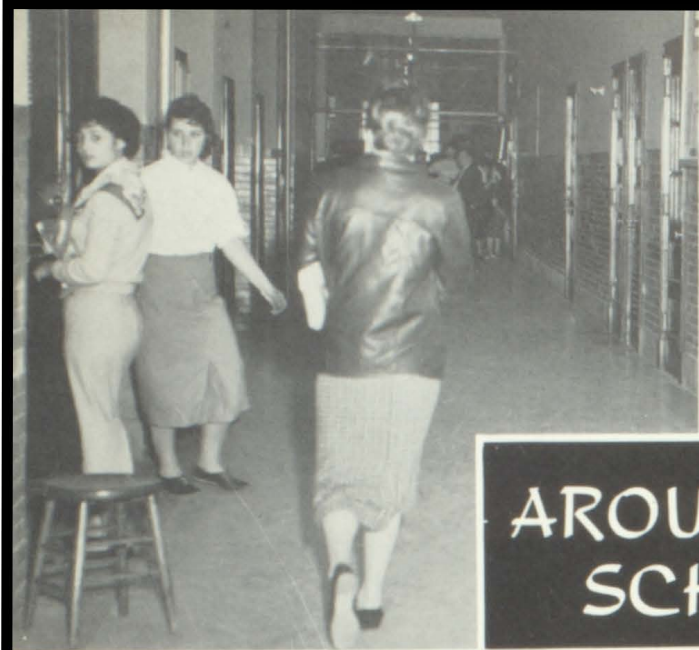
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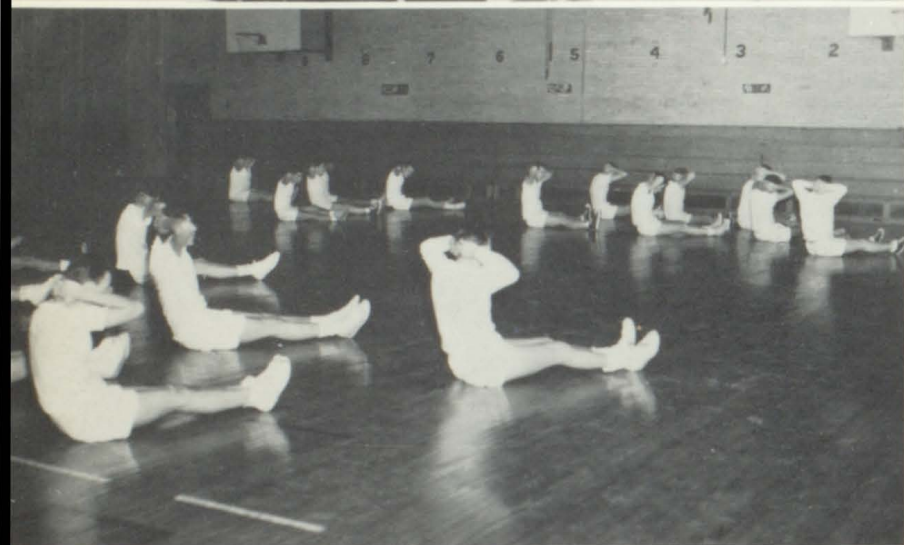
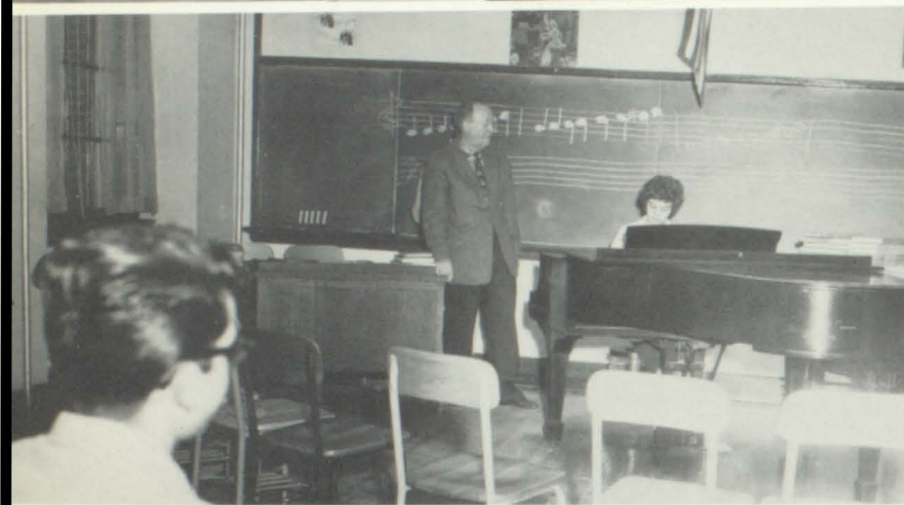
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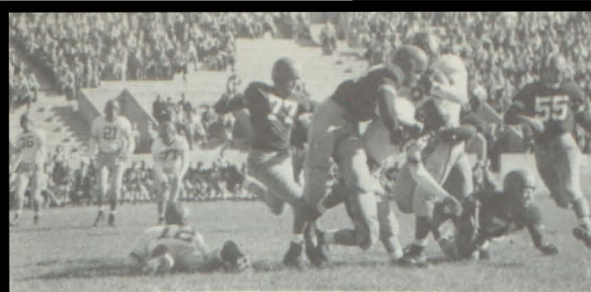


Marilyn DiFilippo, Co-Captain



AROUND SCHOOL





REMEMBER - - - ?

January 1959 . . . now we can proudly hail West Side High School as our "Alma Mater" . . . but we are taking with us such pleasant memories . . . memories of our days of "growing up."

January 1956 . . . what scrawny little sophomores! . . . some frightened, some ready to battle the world. At that time whenever a senior passed by, we would nudge each other and stare, never daring to look the "almighty" senior straight in the eye. That year was the beginning of our high school career . . . the days that followed will always be among our dearest memories. Our sophomore year gave us varied views of life at West Side High School. Dissecting frogs and fish-heads in Biology . . . seniors pouncing upon us to buy boosters, elevator passes, senior show tickets, detained slips . . . College Preps struggling through Geometry . . . Secretaries through Stenography. How can we forget "Kiss Me Smedley," the first school play and "Leap Year Hop" the first school dance.

January 1957 . . . juniors, upperclassmen . . . now we look down upon the sophomores as our elders before us had done. Trying to outshout the seniors in the cafeteria with the Junior cheer was our immediate goal in life. Physics with Miss Clarke and, of course, Algebra forced College Preps to continue their struggle. Bookkeeping, machine operations, stenography, and typing for Secretaries and Clericals.

September 1957 . . . West Side vs. East Orange . . . how happy we were when in the rain the final winning touchdown was made by the West Side football team . . . a bitter rivalry won by our school.

January 1958 . . . seniors . . . we were finally on top of the world. Gazing into the eyes of new sophomores we could see the same gleam of admiration and awe that we once had. Hold your nose . . . hydrogen sulfide gas has escaped from the Chemistry lab . . . evacuate the third floor. One floor down one could see Mrs. Jaffe trying in vain to teach Advanced Transcription to the unenthusiastic future secretaries of the world . . .

June 13 . . . Sayonara, a Japanese farewell to the outgoing Seniors and our first senior reception . . . music by the Savoy's. The weather was warm . . . but we had a cool time.

September 1958 . . . now it was our turn to sell boosters, and senior show tickets . . . not as easy as we thought. Naturally with this step we secured the "best seats" in the auditorium. Yearbook committees, prom committee, senior reception committee, various clubs and organizations . . . all vivid in our minds as we think over our three years at West Side.

These three years may not remain as vivid as they do now, but we shall never forget the friends, buddies, and pals we found at West Side High School from January 1956-January 1959.



SENIOR

Harold Parish's life was full
Of many a wonderful event,
Too bad it was just a lot of bull,
He simply liked to invent.

She was so
sweet,
She was so shy,
But Elaine
La Para
Sure hooked
her guy.

Joan couldn't
sew;
Joan couldn't
cook;
But these minor
details
Vito seemed to
overlook.

Smitty and Angie,
For their friendship
were known;
What Angie did
wrong,
Smitty would
condone.

His talent didn't lie in scholarly
things;
His talent didn't lie in gardening;
Where did Don Siegwath's
talent lie?

Las Eric was a
vocalist;
He also was a
pianist;
But girls knew
him as Amorist.

He loved to have her hold his hand,
He loved to be her superman,
But Ronnie didn't count on,
Maryann's Marriage Plan.

Fran loved
mink,
Fran loved
sable,
Her only
trouble
Was reading
the label.

Howie Seidenberg was his name,
His gray beetle gave him fame,
Against this car they would campaign
But for a ride home no-one would
ever complain.

EPITAPHS

Kathy, Ann, and Bobbi,
Were a merry group,
They even were the Masters
Of the Hoola-Hoop.

Sal came here
Free as the air
But he left with
38 girls in his
hair.

Here lie Al, Rich, and Ronnie,
Whose mocks were far from few,
They had a hike for everyone,
But alone, what else
Could three boys do??

Flip and Mouse liked to share,
To see them separate was very rare,
But now they're six feet under
And now it's Laissez faire.

Here lies H. J.
Who'll never be
mated,
Cause her last kiss
was germy,
As often been
stated.

David Leone
had some
wonderful
traits,
His only
trouble was
getting some
dates.

There was a
little girl;
She had a little
curl;
OH NO! That
was Tony
Limongelli.

As a rule,
He never liked
school,
Seymour
Voglino,
Just played it
cool.

No one asked
for it;
It wasn't a rage;
But Mr. Kriegs-
feld read the
entire page.

Mazie Williams is doubly blest
For her car is buried here with her,
She was full of life and fun, and zest,
But her car could not endure her.

Pat's hair was
red,
But that wasn't
much,
You should have
seen her face
When she had
to blush.

CLASS WILL

We, the Senior Class of January 1959, being of sound mind,
do hereby leave the following:

TO MR. SNAVELY — A bag of new jokes.

TO MR. DAWSON — A certain smile.

TO MRS. RUBINO — A term's supply of chewing gum for her
pupils.

TO MR. KAPNER — Mon Dieu!

TO MRS. E. NORTON — An encyclopedia of cross word
puzzles.

TO MR. KRIEGSFELD — A year's supply of the "New York
Times".

TO MR. LONG — A wheelbarrow for his hall pass.

TO MISS MAZEIKA — Our problems.

TO MR. PETERSON — Two tickets to a violin concerto.

TO MISS WALTON — A cook.

TO MR. PRAG — Elevated shoes.

TO MR. L. FRIEDMAN — Odorless Hydrogen Sulfide.

TO MR. I. FRIEDMAN — Phoebe.

TO MR. DONNER — A germ free window pole.

TO MR. MARTLAND — 30 days detention for coming to school
at 9:15 everyday.

TO THE SOPHOMORES — The 4th floor elevator passes.

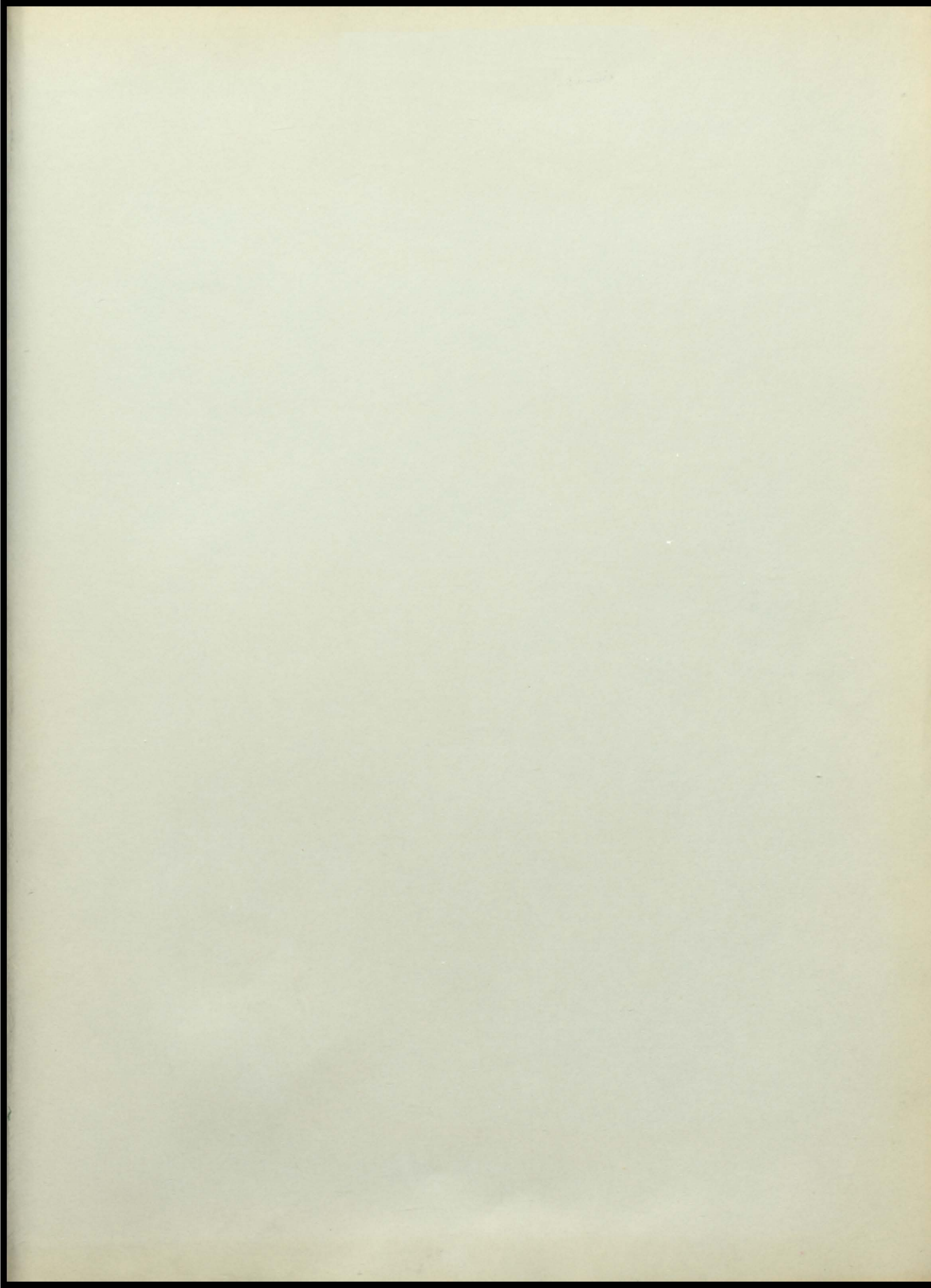
TO THE JUNIORS — The pleasure of selling boosters.

TO MISS CLARKE — Our thanks and appreciation.

TO WEST SIDE — We leave . . .

Signed: Class of January 1959











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